



## SETTLED WITH NOTES.

The City Gives Its Notes in Settlement for the Steam Roller, Crusher and Sweeper.—Council Business.

The council held a short session last Monday evening, the most important business coming before the meeting being the allowing of several large sized bills. Mayor Barker occupied the chair and Ald. Brill, Cook, Piffner, Maine, Gross, Kieliszewski and Phelps tried to look as comfortable as the sultry weather and overheated condition of the room would permit. J. W. Strobe presented a petition claiming that he had been assessed for a piano he never had or never owned, and H. N. Woodworth charged that his Clark street home was assessed so high that he had to pay \$17.00 too much. Both matters were referred to the city attorney and committee on claims to act as they deem advisable. A resolution setting forth that the city would open streets across the Boyington & Atwell property, between the Normal School and the fair grounds, and of which streets the city holds a deed, as soon as there is a need for the opening, was adopted.

Ald. Kieliszewski introduced a resolution setting forth the requirements necessitated by the macadamizing of Strong's avenue, of what shall be charged to the property owners, etc., and it was adopted. Profiles of the grade on Main and Clark streets and Strong's avenue, as drawn by Engineer Halliday, were presented and placed on file. The mayor spoke of the advisability of passing a bicycle ordinance, requiring riders to have a bell, use a lamp at night, etc., and suggested that the riders generally were in favor of the same. It will be prepared for introduction at the next meeting.

The mayor also stated that the steam road roller company, had been settled with, receiving three notes of \$1,125 each, while the crusher is paid in two notes of \$600 each, which includes extras bought; the sweeper, costing \$375, was settled for in two notes. The drinking basin for horses at the South Side fountain, being much too small, it was decided by motion to have R. A. Cook furnish a new basin, some three feet across, for \$40.00.

## A Hot Air System.

The Presbyterian church society contracted with Peter Bogert, of Milwaukee, through his agent, B. B. Underhill, for a furnace for heating that part of the church now being finished. The contract calls for a Smead tubular air warmer and ventilator, of sufficient radiation to properly heat and ventilate the required rooms, and the contract price is about \$800. A proposition for a fan blast furnace for heating the entire church was submitted by the same company, but the society did not feel able to adopt it at this time.

## A Charming Time.

One of the most enjoyable events of last week was the "german" given at the Arlington, Wednesday evening, by Mrs. M. Cassidy, in honor of her guest, Miss Agnes Cahill, of Waukegan, entertaining about thirty of the young people. The parlors and dining room were nicely decorated with golden rod, smilax, ferns and carnations. The Mandolin orchestra furnished the music. Miss Cassidy served the punch, Miss Cahill and Miss Fox, attired in elegant and becoming gowns, received the guests. A short program of six numbers was danced; an elaborate lunch was then served, presided over by Mrs. J. H. Brennan, Mrs. J. J. Callaghan, Mrs. J. M. Hogan and Miss Cassidy, after which the german was given. Monte Whaling added much to the pleasure of the event by his skillful leading of the cotillion. The favors distributed were very pleasant souvenirs of the occasion. During the evening Miss Fox brilliantly played several piano selections, and Miss Winnie Lamb also played several pieces. Miss Cahill won the admiration of all present by her excellent rendition of several vocal selections. Miss Cahill is a very charming girl, a pronounced brunette, with glowing eyes and color and dark abundant hair; she has exquisite features, a superb figure, possesses a clear soprano voice, is a clever and accomplished girl, delightful to talk with, as she is perfectly natural, and is sure to be surrounded by a host of admirers wherever she may be. Her chum, Miss Fox, of Chicago, is a blonde of a lithe and willowy figure, with golden hair, blue eyes, and an exquisite complexion; her manner is gay and piquante, and her general attractiveness has made her very popular in Stevens Point. She and Miss Cahill mowed quite a swath among the eligible masculines of the town and have left many aching hearts behind them.

## Orphan Home Fest.

Fully four hundred people spent most of last Sunday at Erdman's grove, in the 6th ward. In the forenoon, services were held in the grove, Rev. W. Knuf, Segel, preaching the sermon. In the afternoon, Rev. H. Muller, of Amherst, spoke in English, and the collection taken up after both ceremonies amounted to \$42.66. Other clergymen present were Rev. A. Krusche, of Grant, and Rev. A. Ristow, of Auburndale. The event was known as the "Orphan Home Fest," it being for the benefit of the Lutheran Orphan Home at Wittenberg. The Orphan Home band of 18 pieces were present and discoursed excellent music during the day. The net earnings of the picnic, which will go to the Home at Wittenberg, amounted to about \$70.00.

## Great Increase in Valuation.

It has been estimated that the assessment of real estate and personal property in Stevens Point for the year 1896 will amount to nearly \$3,000,000, against a few thousand over \$1,200,000 in 1895. This is not due entirely to our growth during the past year, but is mostly the result of a different plan adopted by our officials of assessing values. Heretofore property has been placed on the tax rolls at from one-fifth to one-third its cash value, but this year Assessors Hamacker and Wert have fully doubled the assessment. Taxes will not be increased in the least for this reason, but the percent. will be materially lowered, and instead of frightening investors away by telling them that we pay from 5 to 7 1/2 per cent. taxes, we can hereafter publish to the world that our tax rate is 2 or 3 per cent.

## Lightning Flashes and Freaks.

Those who were awakened between the hours of two and three o'clock Tuesday morning, witnessed the grandest and most dazzling electrical display they have had an opportunity of seeing in many a day, or night either. The flashes of lightning were almost continuous, and at times the entire heavens seemed to be ablaze, followed by sharp, loud and warring peels of thunder, lasting for nearly an hour.

During this time the barn of Alois Miller, on Strong's avenue, was struck by lightning. The lightning entered the roof at the ridge, where it divided, and then knocked off a number of shingles, as well as splintering four rafters and four scuttling on either side. Boards on the north side of the barn were splintered, as was also the cornice. A horse standing in a box stall, near where the lightning came down, escaped unharmed. The loss is covered by insurance with Buckingham & Engberry.

The residence of Mrs. Henry Halverson, on Elk street, was struck at about the same time, the bolt again dividing and shattering the windows on one side, in a bed room occupied by the two sons, Harvey and Gilbert, and tearing the plaster from the wall on the opposite side, at the same time setting fire to the paper. No one was injured, and the loss is covered by insurance.

## Hotel Beats at Work.

John Lutz has been engaged in the hotel business in this city and at McDill for a great many years, but he had an experience last Wednesday that was entirely new. Early in the morning a fairly well dressed man entered the Lutz House on Water street, had breakfast, and after eating a hearty meal informed the proprietor that he was a surveyor employed by the Central road, and himself and three fellow workmen desired to make their headquarters with Mr. Lutz. Two of the men, he said, were at work quite a distance from town and would therefore be unable to come to the house for dinner; they would therefore request the genial landlord to send a lunch to them. About 9:30 o'clock a boy was sent to the hotel for the noonday meal, and suspecting nothing wrong, Mr. Lutz ordered a good quantity of eatables placed in a basket, together with a glass jar of coffee, the necessary plates, cups, etc., which he handed the little fellow. Up to the hour of going to press, John has not heard of or seen the boy, basket, eatables, dishes, etc., neither has the surveyor since put in his appearance.

The old saying that "misfortune never comes single" was truly exemplified in Mr. Lutz's case, for the next morning a couple of fellows came to the house at breakfast time, went into the dining room and ate as much as four ordinary men. They told the landlord that a companion had stepped into a near-by saloon to get a bottle of whiskey, and as their "chum" also wanted something in the eatable line, they would await his return. He not appearing very promptly, the two started out to look him up—and as far as Mr. Lutz has any substantial evidence, they are still looking for the third man.

## GREATEST OF THEM ALL.

Hundreds of Druggists, Traveling Salesmen, Wholesalers and Visitors Will be in Stevens Point for Three Days Next Week.

The Wisconsin Pharmaceutical Association will hold its annual meetings in this city on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. At least one thousand strangers will be here, and our local druggists and citizens generally will see that they are cared for and given as good a time as our great hospitality will permit, and the limit has never yet been reached. Portions of the three days will be devoted to business, but the greater part will be taken up with amusement, followed by more amusement and concluding along the same line each day,—or the next day.

Twenty-one exhibitors have already applied for space and it is expected that Foresters Hall will be well filled with the rich and handsome displays. The public will be admitted to the rooms between 2 and 4 o'clock each afternoon during the convention.

## PROGRAMME.

Tuesday, 10 a. m.—Roll call. Registration of members. General business. 2:30 p. m.—Address of welcome by John Cookman, president local association, and by Mayor J. L. Barker. President's address. Report of officers. Reading of papers. 4:00 p. m.—Ball game at Grand Park between Fat Men's Nine and Lean Men's Nine; umpires, John Cadman and W. A. Sallade. 7:30 p. m.—Grand street parade of Komikals Koons. 8:20 p. m.—Presentation of Komikal Koons at Grand Opera House, 50 stars talking part. Wednesday, 10 a. m.—Reports of committees. Miscellaneous business. Reading of papers. 2 p. m.—Miscellaneous business. Reading of papers. 4 p. m.—Water sports, consisting of boat race, swimming race, and race, novelty, log rolling contest, obstruction race, diving contest, swimming under water. Fishing for coin in sack of flour. Valuable prizes will be given in these contests and wheelchair race. 8 p. m.—Reception at Rink Opera House. Reception committee, Messrs. and Mesdames J. R. Congdon, John Cadman, W. W. Mitchell, Alex. Krensch, W. E. Buckingham, G. E. McDill, announcement of guests, G. W. Rice, J. W. McMillar. 9 p. m.—Dancing at Rink Opera House. Thursday, 10 a. m.—Election of officers. Election of place of meeting for 1897. Appointment of committees, etc. 2 p. m.—Games at Woodland Park, consisting of: hand race, foot ball kick, best standing jump, fat men's race, egg race, hurdle race, running jump, hop, step and jump, spelling contest, sack race, three-legged race, spool race, last man's race, putting shot, rebound hammer throw and wheelchair race. Valuable prizes will also be given the lightest and heaviest couples. 8 p. m.—Grand character parade through the principal streets. 9 p. m.—Banquet at Rink Opera House to visitors only. A warding of prizes—"To the victors belong the spoils."

Besides the prizes above referred to valuable articles will be given for the best papers read before the meetings on announced subjects; to the prettiest lady at the reception; for the most original costume; best character costume; most fancy costume; to the funniest man in the Komikal Koons; to the druggist or drug clerk who will laugh loudest at the Komikal Koons entertainment.

All business meetings of the Druggists will be held at Grand Opera House and the Ladies' Auxiliary will have their headquarters at Knights of Pythias Hall.

## Two Big Bargains.

A large size fire-proof safe, with burglar-proof chest, as good as new, will be sold for less than one-fourth cost price. Also a handsome Garland cook stove. Enquire of Mrs. John Stumpf, 504 Main street. ag5w4

## Additional Locals.

—The Episcopal Sunday school picnic, which was to have been held at Whitting today, has been postponed until tomorrow, on account of the rain this morning. The picnicers will leave on the 10:35 Green Bay train tomorrow forenoon.

—The barn of John Meronk, northeast of the Corners, in Sharon, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground, Monday night, together with his season's grain, which he had placed in the barn. The loss is about \$400, with insurance in the Stockton Co.

—Frederick Mersch and John Wysocki, of Sharon, drove to the city, Monday forenoon, and when near the corner of Main and Division streets the horse, owned by the first named, became scared at the steam road roller. Both men were thrown to the pavement, Mr. Mersch having his side and face bruised, while Mr. Wysocki's back was injured. The buggy was also somewhat damaged.

—The Stevens Point Investment Association held its annual meeting, last Saturday evening, when V. P. Atwell, A. R. Week and J. P. Rothman were elected as board of directors. The directors then met and Mr. Atwell was elected president, Mr. Week vice president and treasurer and Mr. Rothman secretary. The capital stock was reduced from \$25,000 to \$7,000, and shares cut down from \$100 to \$1 each.

—Stevens Point is well represented in Milwaukee today, among them being J. O. Raymond and wife, Dr. Phillips, F. B. Lamoreux and wife, R. A. Cook and wife, Dr. Gregory, Dr. Southwick and wife, G. E. McDill and wife, J. L. Barker, N. Gross, S. E. Karner, G. L. Rogers, Henry and J. D. Curran, Louis Wiesner, F. E. Bosworth, Frank Wheelock, F. J. Carpenter, Albert Redfield, C. L. Jones, E. McGlachlin, Dr. E. M. Rogers, R. D. Root, C. H. Grant, Alex. Krensch, D. E. Frost, and Price Road.

## CHRISTIAN CRUSADERS.

They Are Holding Their Annual State Meeting in This City.—Good Attendance Every Day.

Five bands of Christian Crusaders, comprising thirty members, besides several hundred followers, are now camped at the Phillips grove, in the 6th ward, to remain until next Sunday. The meeting is in charge of Major Lake and wife, of Marshfield, and the various bands are kept busy most of the time. Meetings are held in an immense tent, 10x80 feet, which will hold several hundred people, and the Crusaders occupy 21 smaller tents, 10x14 feet, for living purposes. Religious services are held several times a day, from 6:30 to 7:00 in the morning being devoted to prayer, followed by devotions and preaching at 10:30 a. m. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. The attendance has been very large, especially in the evening, hundreds being unable to gain admission to the meeting tent, and before next Saturday from two to three thousand strangers are expected. All railroads leading to Stevens Point give a rate of one and one-third for the round trip.

Gen. M. K. Light, editor of the Herald of Salvation, published at Worcester, Mass., will be here on Friday evening, to remain over Saturday and Sunday. He is an eloquent speaker, and all who can should hear him. Major Lake says that the Crusaders aim to aid all churches, bringing back the wayward and careless into the fold of christianity, and having no malice against any christian denomination. Conferences will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, when business matters of importance will be attended to.

## Severed the Cords.

Albert Kostuch is a blacksmith at Arnott, and last Wednesday he was injured in a manner that he will never forget. His wife had gone for a pail of water, with which he was to cool a heated wagon tire, and being gone a little longer than desired, he struck the window pane a blow with his hand, shattering the glass and cutting his wrist in a frightful manner. The arteries and tendons were severed, and when Dr. Southwick arrived on the scene the man was so weak that it was deemed advisable not to attempt to connect the cords. This was done the next day, but it will be some time before he can use the injured arm.

## HELD UP BY TRAMPS.

Conductor Gavin Has an Experience With Roving Rowdies That He Will Never Forget.—Now in Jail.

Conductor W. J. Gavin left Stevens Point on passenger No. 5, bound north, at 5:25 last Wednesday, and everything passed off nicely until his train reached Stanley. Before the arrival of the passenger train, Conductor Chas. Green and his brakeman, O. J. Evans, had a tussel with several tramps. Conductor Green runs a freight, and when his train arrived at Stanley he noticed several tramps riding on the bumpers. He ordered them out, and when he attempted to force one of them to move more rapidly than he desired, Green received a kick in the stomach. The tramp then made a dive for the inside of his vest, as though he had a weapon of some kind, and the conductor concluded not to renew further hostilities at this time. Another one of the tramps moved about by aid of a crutch.

It is about eight o'clock when the passenger reaches Stanley, and was almost dark, although not dark enough to prevent Conductor Gavin from seeing several tramps quickly board the "blind baggage." He ordered them off, but found it necessary to use some force. This angered one of the fellows, presumably the same one that Green had encountered about an hour before, and the tramp commenced to swear and threaten and at the same time drew a revolver from concealment. Conductor Gavin stepped inside his car just in time to escape being struck by a bullet, which imbedded itself in the door casing and thereafter two or three more shots were fired in rapid succession. Car Accountant F. J. Hawn, who was in the same car, narrowly escaped being hit. When the train reached the next station, the officers at Stanley were notified, and within the next couple of hours six tramps had been captured. They were put in the "town jug" and the next day taken over to Chippewa Falls and placed in the county jail. On Friday they had an examination in the municipal court, three being held for trial in circuit court upon the charge of attempting to kill, and the others were requested to move rapidly toward the setting sun.

## Back From Cripple Creek.

Otto Zimmer, who four months ago left Stevens Point for the glistening gold fields of Colorado, has returned, and like others who went before and since, he is back to remain. His auburn-haired brother, Louis G., who left last winter for the same place, has returned to Wisconsin, but stopped over at Phillips, to join his wife and little ones, who had been visiting there for several weeks. Otto says, there are lots of rich mines in Colorado, but there are hundreds who take up claims, that never realize much on their investment, to one who "makes a stake." Jas. Quinn, Jr., who went west at the same time, is expected home in a few days. Otto met Jas. Gilchrist at Cripple Creek, and also Chas. Donnelly, who a few years ago, was employed in the offices of Cate, Jones & Sanborn. He also met Miss Ada Mills at Denver. Otto says nothing can induce him to return to the west, except the election of Bryan.

## The Pinnacle of Fame.

That the exhibitions of the renowned Bond Brothers occupy the topmost round in the ladder of popular approbation is universally appreciated by the immense patronage everywhere; and whenever mentioned calls forth criticisms, contrasting other exhibitions and acknowledging its vast superiority over all other shows. None name it but in praise. Its educated horse exhibit is said to be entirely original with these shows. No such performances and remarkable achievements by dumb brutes has ever before been witnessed. An exchange says: "It must be seen to seem possible." There are elephant races, camel races, horse races and all kinds of great races introduced in its hippodrome; and many truly great feats never before seen in America by its troupes of foreign and native performers. The exhibit of its ethnological congress attracts the masses. And its rare wild animal display and many other interesting features cannot be duplicated. These great shows will exhibit at Stevens Point Wednesday, Aug. 12.

## Brought Before the Justice.

John Platta, one of the best known and most esteemed residents of the town of Sharon, was brought before Justice Carpenter, last Thursday, by Sheriff Leahy, on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. The complaint was sworn to by Teofil Proudzinski, a neighbor, who says that both himself and wife are much in fear of Platta. A change of venue was taken to Justice Park, the prisoner making an affidavit that Justice Carpenter is prejudiced. F. B. Lamoreux appeared for Platta and Dist. Atty. Frost for the state, and Justice Park granted a continuance to next Saturday.

The same day Geo. W. Cram was taken before Justice Een, by the sheriff on a warrant, charging him with criminal assault. Cram lives at the home of his father, Frank Cram, on Fremont street, in this city, but had been at work on a farm in Pine Grove. The complainant is Mary E. Smith, the divorced wife of Geo. E. Lightseiser, and she claims to have been considerably bruised during the assault. The defendant is 21 years of age and the complainant 45. A change of venue was taken to Justice Carpenter, B. B. Park appearing for the prisoner and Dist. Atty. Frost for the state. A continuance was granted to the 12th inst., ball being fixed at \$500, which was furnished by F. C. Cram and J. R. McDonald.

## A Silver Bullet.

While sawing logs in the Wadleigh mill at Jordan, last week, the saw struck a hard substance which broke several teeth. The mill was closed down immediately to change saws, and as this was being done, Ernest Van Order picked up a large bullet, which had been the cause of all the trouble. A hasty inspection showed that it was not of ordinary substance, while a bullet of that size and shape had not been in use for years. It was perfectly round, weighing nearly an ounce, and although imbedded about six inches into the side of the log, was not battered or cut in the least, except where the saw had struck it. How long it had been in this tree, is a matter of speculation, but an inspection of the log disclosed that it had been there for many years. Yet it did not seem to be discolored.

The bullet was taken possession of by Arthur Van Order, and when in the city, last Saturday, he submitted it to several jewelers, who pronounced it silver, and a test showed that this was correct beyond a doubt. In the boyhood days of our grandfathers hunters were inclined to be superstitious. If after going about for several hours and securing no game, they would come to the conclusion that their gun was bewitched. The one thing to break this spell, was the firing of a silver bullet, and each hunter would be provided with a supply. The hunter who shot this bullet, was probably imbued with the same superstition. Mr. Van Order will retain it as a relic.

## MAKE THE ROUNDS.

School Committee on Repairs Visit the Various Buildings.—Needs of the West Side and What Will Be Done.

The committee on repairs for our public schools made their annual inspection of the various buildings, last week, and the amount of "patching" necessary will be limited. At what is called the West Side school, but which is known as a mere "shack," it will be necessary to make some repairs on the wood shed. The school building itself is hardly worth repairing, but to replace it with a new building cannot be accomplished this year. The 1st ward members of the Board will recommend the raising by tax of at least a part of the required sum this fall to build and equip the structure, and it is believed that a suitable and attractive two room brick structure can be put up, seated and heated for less than \$3,000.

In the 2d ward the committee found that it was necessary to replace the urinal, and in the 4th ward the wall paper is to be slightly repaired. In the 3d ward dirt will be drawn from Main street by the city for the purpose of raising and leveling the grounds, which are low in some places. In the 6th ward one additional window will be put in, that better light may be secured, and the outside platform is to be repaired, while some work in leveling the grounds will also be done.

The Board will meet in regular monthly meeting next Monday evening.

## Hottest of the Year.

Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock the government thermometer at the water works reached to 97° degrees in the shade. The hottest heretofore this year has been 92°. The lowest temperature for twenty-four hours of Tuesday was 67° and the highest 97°, an average 82°. A heavy rain at an early hour this morning greatly cooled the atmosphere. The highest temperature reached last season was 97°.

## Broke Her Leg.

Mrs. Mike Shuda, who lives in the town of Stevens Point, about six miles north of this city, met with a serious accident while on her way home, last Saturday afternoon. Her son was driving a spirited span of colts, which became frightened at some object in the road and shied to one side. One wheel of the wagon struck a stump, throwing Mrs. Shuda out and breaking her left leg just above the knee. The lady was taken home and Dr. von Neupert summoned later in the evening. Mrs. Shuda is 50 years of age and it will consequently take many weeks before the fracture heals.

## Excursions Last Sunday.

There were two good-sized excursions last Sunday. One was to Kilbourn and the Dells and the other to Lake Emily. The Dells excursion was given under the auspices of the Central company, and while the number who went down from here was not large, there were fully three hundred on board when the train reached Kilbourn. The day was spent in viewing the many sights of that famous resort, and the return train arrived here at about midnight.

The excursion to Lake Emily, which had been arranged by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen of the Green Bay & Western R. R., drew forth a large crowd, nearly fifty from Stevens Point leaving at 9:30 in the morning. Excursion trains also came from Grand Rapids and Green Bay, and the day was passed in boating, picnicking and other attractions.

## To Open on the 15th.

Max. Wirth & Co. will open their new dry goods and furnishing goods store, in the Johnson block, on the 15th inst. Their goods are now arriving and will be placed in position ready for the opening on the above date. Max. Wirth, the head of the firm, has lived in Stevens Point for eleven years and is well known to all. He proposes to keep a complete stock, will sell cheap, and for cash only. The public will not be disappointed in giving the new firm a call when they open in their elegant new quarters on northwest corner of public square w1

## \$5.00 Reward.

A reward of \$5.00 will be paid for the return to 543 Strong's avenue of a black water spaniel dog lost in this city two weeks ago. Was five months old and answers to the name of "Presto."

## Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to publicly express their thanks to their neighbors and many kind friends for the assistance rendered and sympathy extended during the sickness and at the time of the death and burial of their beloved daughter and sister, Mary. MRS. ANNA M. MOLL AND FAMILY.



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For President,  
**WILLIAM J. BRYAN,**  
OF NEBRASKA.

For Vice President,  
**ARTHUR SEWALL,**  
OF MAINE.

**Democratic State Convention.**

At a meeting of the State Central Committee held in this city on June 22nd, 1896, the Chairman was instructed to give notice that the State Convention of Delegates of the State of Wisconsin will be held in the City of Milwaukee, on the 2nd day of September, 1896, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various elective state offices to be voted for at the general election November next; electing a state central committee to serve for two years from the 1st day of January, 1897; for the nomination of presidential electors for the general election to be held November next; and for the transaction of any other business under the jurisdiction of the convention.

Portage county will be entitled to 5 delegates, to be apportioned as follows: one delegate for every 500 Democratic votes or major fraction thereof, east for Presidential electors at the last national election.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 22d, 1896.  
GEO. W. PECK, Chm.  
C. J. NOEL, Secretary.

**DATES TO REMEMBER.**

August 11, 12, 13—State Druggists' Convention.

Sept. 30, Oct. 1, 2, 3, 4—Wisconsin Conference, M. E. Church.

**More Locals.**

—Geo. Booth came up from Grand Rapids, Saturday, and spent a couple of days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Booth.

—Miss Hattie Godell, of Ripon, has been visiting her friend, Miss Anna Zimmer, on Strong's avenue, for a few days. Both young ladies taught in the Green Bay schools last year.

—E. O. Stumpf is now with the Badger Typewriter Co., Milwaukee, and John H. holds a good position in the same city. Albert is in Chicago, where he may accept an offer made him by a firm there.

—The little six year old son of Mike Fischer, who resides on Smith street, while playing with companions, last Monday afternoon, was thrown from a boy's express wagon and had his collar bone broken. Dr. von Neupert adjusted the fracture.

—The Johnson trio, mother and two daughters, took part in both morning and evening service, at St. Paul's M. E. church last Sunday. Mrs. Johnson lectured on temperance in the evening, and her daughters rendered several fine vocal selections.

—Wm. Cornack and E. H. Joy, with their families, expect to leave for Pike Lake, Price county, tonight, where Mr. Cornack has a cottage, and the next couple of weeks will be devoted to catching the gamey muscallonge. Will. Olin will also accompany them.

—The coming races at the Great District Fair grounds in this city, on the 25th, 26th and 27th inst., promise to be the best in many years. Bronco John's great wild west show will in itself be a splendid attraction, and the feats of chivalry, daring and horsemanship then to be seen will surprise the multitude.

—A party consisting of Misses Maud Hungerford, Ethel Diller, Ethel Rogers, Georgie Miller, Carrie Skinner, Hattie Krum and Ida Bauer, and Chas. Sampson, Will. Allan, Will. Gregory and Will. Holman left for Maple Beach, today, where they will spend some time camping.

—The "Rough and Readys" and "Eccentrics" played a hot game of ball in the 6th ward, last Monday afternoon, the first named club coming out victorious by a score of 22 to 13. John Hoffman captained the double R's and Will. Damber was "chief push" in the Eccentric nine.

—According to the Milwaukee Journal of this morning, John H. Brennan, of this city, has written a strong letter to the Vilas-Bragg-Lusher combination, pledging his hearty co-operation in the work of the new convention, to place another democratic ticket in the field on a gold basis. Mr. Brennan is named as county chairman for this county, having agreed to take charge of the work here, according to the Milwaukee paper.

—See M. Clifford's new advertisement in this issue.

—E. L. Ross has something to offer the public in our advertising columns today.

—Guy Martin, Dan. Moran and Jas. Davidson will attend the bicycle meet at Neenah, tomorrow.

—The attractive advertisement of Andrae & Shaffer Co. in this issue, will command the attention of our readers.

—Mrs. Adam Schliesman and children, of Rhinelander, are visiting Adam's parents and other relatives in Sharon.

—Misses Ethel and Bay Scott returned from Chicago this morning, after an extended visit with their brother and sister.

—At Waupaca, last Monday, Mayor J. L. Barker of this city was made a member of the Republican congressional committee.

—The crew employed at the stone crusher and on the streets were obliged to lay off, Tuesday afternoon, on account of the excessive heat.

—Miss Maggie Clifford started for Portage on the 10:20 train, today, to spend a week visiting with the family of W. H. Collins, and among other friends.

—A dozen friends of Miss Anna Drake tendered her a surprise at her home on Center avenue, Saturday evening, and a few hours were passed very pleasantly.

—R. L. McCulloch, of Rockford, Ill., and A. J. Empey, of Milladore, Wis., are in the city today, the former coming up on business connected with the Stevens Point Lighting Co.

—Dr. O. L. Ellis, the celebrated optician, will be here at the Arlington House, on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 14th and 15th. He gives satisfaction to all who need their eyes fitted with the best glasses. Remember his dates.

**A SPLENDID REFORM.**

The following extract from the Birmingham (England) Gazette is worthy of note: "America cannot run the bimetallic theory on its own account. The free coinage of gold and silver at a given ratio of exchange would be a splendid reform if it were brought about by international agreement. But it is doomed to failure as an isolated experiment." That undoubtedly represents public sentiment in England on the silver question. "A splendid reform" over the present single gold standard. It has the old time ring of John Bull insolence. America can't run its own finances, but must needs have the consent of England, when there is no possible expectation of that consent being obtained, because, as is well known, the gold barons dominate the financial policy of England and they are wedded to the gold standard because they can and do control the gold, and because the gold standards can be made more profitable to them. So America must wait for England, before it attempts such "splendid reform," and the gold men in this country are to perpetuate the reign of gold by proposing an international agreement, well knowing it cannot be attained, but in that way hoping to keep quiet the silver men in their party who are clamoring for the double standard and threatening to bolt because it is denied them. Let America try single handed to bring about this splendid reform, and be not discouraged by the above, for we remember that this is not the first time England has claimed America could not run its own business alone.

**Notice to Contractors.**

Sealed bids will be received by any of the undersigned committee until 6 o'clock Monday evening, Aug. 10th, 1896, for constructing a new hardwood floor in the High School gymnasium or third floor, covering the entire surface. Bids upon different kinds of hardwood, including maple and birch, material and workmanship to be first class, will be considered. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Stevens Point, Wis., Aug. 4th, 1896.  
E. D. GLENNON,  
THOS. MCPHAIL,  
CHAS. MCCREDDY,  
Committee.

**WANTS FREE COINAGE.**

Senator Wolcott, Republican United States Senator from Colorado, says that the money plank in the Democratic platform "contains everything desirable," and the money plank in Republican platform he does not approve of, but he won't vote for Bryan because of some things in the platform he does not like, yet will vote for McKinley in hopes free coinage will come through the Republican party. There is a hide bound partisan for you. He won't vote for what he does want because in a Democratic platform, but will vote for what he don't approve of in a Republican platform. Compare him with his colleague, Senator Teller. Both think alike, but Teller had the courage of his convictions, while Wolcott is a political coward.

—A little daughter of Mr. Lewis, Dayton, an old and much respected citizen of Barnitz, Pa., occasionally has trouble with her stomach which gives her considerable distress. In speaking of it Mr. Dayton said: "As soon as she has an attack we give her Diarrhoea Remedy, and it has never failed to relieve her promptly. We all use it in our family with the same good result." For sale by H. D. McCulloch Co. aug

**THE SOUTH SIDE.**

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance.

—Miss Emily Spaulding has been visiting at Waukesha.

—A twelve pound son was born to Ed. Hartel, and wife, 1146 Church street, last week.

—Misses Jessie O'Keefe and Lizzie A. Love left for Grand Rapids, Saturday, to spend several days visiting friends.

—Miss Lydia Zellman, after a visit with her sisters, Mrs. W. D. Golz and Mrs. Fred Hodsdon, left for her home at Oshkosh Sunday afternoon.

—Miss Mary Michael, of Gahon, Ohio, is the guest of her brother, Jos. Michael, on Strong's avenue. She will remain a couple of weeks longer.

—Albert Rierstad has recently painted and papered the interior of his barber shop on Monroe street, and now has a very neat place of business.

—Mrs. J. A. Versen and children, of Waupaca, have been in the city for several days, guests at the home her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Parmer.

—John Lutz now owns the lot on which his Water street hotel stands, purchasing it last Friday from the Moses M. Strong estate for \$475. The dimensions are 56x120 feet.

—Business car "56," with Supt. Horn and T. C. Clifford and families on board, went up on the Ashland division, Monday morning. They will probably go to St. Paul before returning.

—This way for the ball grounds. Train leaves Wisconsin Central South Side depot, Sunday, Aug. 29th, at 10:24 a. m.; returning, leaves Marshfield 8 p. m. 75 cents for the round trip.

—Frank Bartnik, who has been at work on the paper mills at Nekoosa, as a mason, spent a couple of days at his home here, the last of the week, and is now employed in a like capacity at Pl. Edwards.

—Thieves broke into the smoke house at the Lutz brewery, last Thursday night, and stole a large quantity of ham and bacon. The granary door was also broken open but nothing of consequence taken.

—John Dawson, a fireman on one of the Central passenger trains running into this city, moved his family from Waukesha, last week, and now occupies a house owned by P. H. Cashin, on Dixon street.

—The remains of the little one year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Martin, who died at the family home on Madison street, last Saturday morning, were taken to Almond for interment, Monday forenoon.

—Walter Eddy, of Chicago, arrived in the city Saturday morning, and will spend his mid-summer vacation of two weeks visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. F. B. Lamoreux, and among scenes of his boyhood. Mrs. Eddy has been here for several weeks.

—John B. Wakely, of Knoxville, Tioga county, Pa., is spending a week with his brother, S. C. Wakely, in this city. The eastern gentleman visited Stevens Point four years ago, when he made many friends among our people, and all are pleased to again greet him.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Crueger, of Chippewa Falls, are visiting with relatives and friends in the city for a few days. Herman is still "hostlering" for the Central company at Irvine, and for a boy of his years is in good physical condition, weighing 256 pounds.

—Strong's avenue, along the line where the street has been macadamized, begins to present a handsome appearance. The walks have been cut down to the grade, some of them being lowered fully two feet, and the adjoining property is thus greatly improved and beautified.

—The fire department was called out last Friday evening by a chimney fire at the residence of Pat. O'Connor, 109 Center street, but were not obliged to throw water. When turning on Strong's avenue from Main street, the regular driver not handling the reins, hose cart No. 1 had a close call from being capsized in turning too rapidly.

—Henry Urban, David Zorn and a son of Louis Nelson, head-sawyer in the Week saw mill, left for the west last week, and are now working in the North Dakota wheat fields. Henry conducted a barber shop on Strong's avenue, South Side, for several months, but business not being very brisk he decided to seek his fortune elsewhere.

—Wm. F. Berendt left for Waukesha, Monday, where he went to be present at a meeting of State Board of Charities and Reform. In June, 1895, Mr. Berendt's fifteen year old son, August, was sent to the reform school at Waukesha for despoiling some brasses on a dead Central engine, and believing that the lad has been sufficiently punished, the father now wishes him released.

—Within another month Irving Newby, the Church street grocer, will move into the neat house now being built for him at the corner of Center street and East avenue. The upright part is 20x26 feet, 18 ft. posts, the front 14x16 feet, 18 ft. posts, and the rear 22x26 feet, and 12 ft. posts. A barn 20x26 feet, 16 ft. high, has also been completed in the rear of his lots. The buildings will represent an outlay of about \$2,000. W. B. Baker has charge of the construction.

**ARE CALLED HENCE.**

MARY MOLL.

The death of Miss Mary R. Moll, which occurred at five minutes past seven o'clock, last Wednesday evening, caused universal sorrow among our citizens, as she was well known to hundreds and highly esteemed by all. Miss Moll had been in poor health for several months, but was confined to her bed only a few days when that dread disease, consumption, carried her away. She had realized her condition for some time, and waited with true christian patience the moment when her soul would return to its Maker. The deceased young lady was born at West Bend, Wis., Jan. 14th, 1870, being in the 27th year of her age, and came to this city with her parents in 1874, making her home here continually ever since. Her life was one of usefulness, being ever ready to assist those near and dear to her, or any who were in need of her services, and many acts of humanity, charity and kindness are credited to her in that great book in the world beyond. Of a gentle, sweet disposition, yet firm and true, none could know but to respect her, and all will extend to the afflicted relatives their deep sympathy. A mother, one sister, Elizabeth, and two brothers, Lucas H. and Will, are left.

The funeral took place from the family residence, 442 Brown street, thence to St. Stephen's Catholic church, Rev. W. J. Rice officiating, at 9 o'clock last Saturday morning. The Young Ladies' Sodality, of which she was a useful member, marched in a body. Six young ladies acted as honorary pallbearers, as follows: Misses Edith Peickert, Addie Ford, Helen Treanore, Olga Neuman, Tillie Scheffner and Mary Taek. The active bearers were Emil Krembs, Frank Glennon, Herbert Harvey, Frank Taek, Jos. Conway and Fred Dewey. The floral offerings contained many handsome designs, bouquets, etc., the basket and last resting place being strewn with flowers, attesting more than words can express the esteem in which she was held.

EDWARD MCHUGH.

In the death of Edward McHugh a pioneer resident of Portage county has been called away. He was a resident of the town of Eau Pleine, coming there in an early day, and out of the dense wilderness had made one of the finest farms north of Stevens Point. For the past two years Mr. McHugh had been in failing health, and for the past year he had been unable to perform labor of any kind. He was confined to his bed but a few days, however, and death was the result of Bright's disease. He was 67 years of age. The deceased was one of the most honorable of men, enjoying the respect, confidence and esteem of all who knew him. For nearly thirty years he had been town clerk of Eau Pleine, and was a most competent official. A wife, eight sons and two daughters are left. The funeral took place from the Catholic church in Knowlton, last Friday forenoon, and was very largely attended, a number being present from this city.

J. B. SCOTT.

Joel B. Scott died at the home of G. L. Sande, near Arpott, on Tuesday evening of last week, after an illness of over two years, caused by old age and a general breaking down of his constitution, aged 85 years. Mr. Scott came to Stevens Point over forty years ago, and for many years lived in the house which still stands on the Wisconsin river bank between Main and Clark streets. Before the wagon bridge was built across the river, he ran a ferry, carrying on a successful business for some years, and was ever recognized as an honest man. His wife died about three years ago, and since then he had failed rapidly, being confined to his bed most of the time for two years. He had lived at the home of Mr. Sande since last fall. Two adopted sons, Ellison G., of this city, and John, of Oconto, are left. The remains were brought to this city and interred in the Episcopal cemetery last Thursday afternoon.

HARRY LEE.

After over six months of continuous suffering, Harry L. Lee died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Lydia M. Lee, 603 Prentice street, at 1:30 last Thursday morning. He was taken ill at first with typhoid fever, which developed into spinal troubles, and ended with brain fever. For months Harry had hovered between life and death, and it has been long known that his demise was only a matter of time—a time when it would be a relief to the young sufferer to be called hence. Harry Lee was born in this city Oct. 14th, 1877, and was in the 19th year of his age. He had always made his home here, and for some months before being taken ill had commenced the study of telegraphy, making rapid progress, being of a bright, ready nature. The surviving relatives are his mother, four sisters, Mrs. W. L. Bronson, Mrs. E. L. Ross and Misses Anna and Sadie Lee, of this city; his father, H. W. Lee, and one brother, Grant, of Thief River Falls. Grant is on a home-steaded some distance from the place mentioned, and could not get here in time to attend the funeral. The father was summoned by wire, but did not come.

The remains were taken to Portage for interment, Saturday morn-

**Ing, beside five brothers and sisters who had gone before.** The pallbearers were Anton Krembs, Alex. Krembs, Jr., Fred. Copps, Chas. Bremmer, Alwyn Martin and Roy Dunning.

MRS. ADELBERT BLISS.

The death of this highly respected lady occurred at her home, 417 Dixon street, last Thursday morning at 3 o'clock, after an illness of less than four weeks with dropsy of the heart. On the 7th of August a baby boy was born to Mrs. Bliss and shortly thereafter dropsy set in and she gradually failed until the end. The little one preceded her to the world beyond. The deceased lady was 27 years old the 16th of last January and was born at Aurora, Steele county, Minn. In November, 1888, she was married to Adelbert Bliss, of this city, and had made her home here ever since. Besides the sadly bereaved husband, she leaves one son, Carl, aged seven years; her mother, Mrs. D. C. Fuller, of Blooming Prairie, Minn., and three sisters, Mrs. Fuller and Miss Emma Webster, of St. Thomas, N. Dak., and Mrs. M. Lutz, of Washington state. Mrs. Fuller arrived here in time to attend her daughter's funeral, which took place from the family home at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Short services were held at the house by officers of the Lady Maccabees, of which order the deceased was an active member. The remains were then conveyed to St. Paul's M. E. church, where Rev. E. W. Requa preached the sermon. Interment was in the Union cemetery. A large number of her sister Maccabees occupied carriages in the funeral procession, paying the last tribute of respect to one they had loved for her many good qualities. Philip Peickard, Chas. Johnson, E. W. Hungerford, J. W. Evans, Wm. Bryan and H. F. Roehr acted as pall bearers.

Among the numerous and handsome floral offerings were a circle with the letters and figures "K. O. T. M., 46," thereon, presented by the Maccabee Knights, and a cross and crown from Lillian Lodge No. 14, Lady Maccabees.

RUPAIRE GOTCHY.

At Dancy, last night, after an illness of about two years, the result of a complication of diseases, coupled with old age, Rupaire Gotchy passed over the river of life, aged 78 years. The deceased was born in Canada, coming to this country 46 years ago and located at Fond du Lac. For over a quarter of a century he lived in that city and for the past 20 years had resided at Dancy. He was well known to many old settlers here and universally respected. A wife, five daughters, Mrs. Nelson Strong, of

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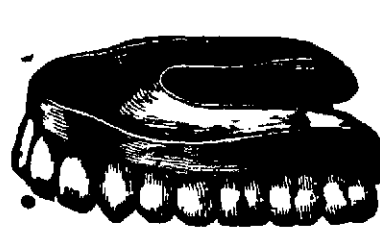
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**Card of Thanks.**

Adelbert Bliss desires to extend his heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors who lent him such valuable assistance during the illness and after the death of his beloved wife. Thanks are especially extended to the Lady Maccabees and his sisters for their aid.

Wisconsin Republicans are in state convention, at Milwaukee, today, for the purpose of nominating candidates for state officers. There is a great contest for governor, and the chances yesterday were in favor of La Follette. Every combination possible has been brought against him, however, including the Sawyer barrel, the Bennett law issue, etc., and it now looks as though he would be laid upon the shelf and the plumb be given to Maj. Schofield.

**CASTORIA.**

The famous signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

This city: Mrs. Ellen Brown, of Tomahawk; Mrs. Flora Allen, of La Crosse; Mrs. Agnes Kelly and Mrs. Elizabeth Morrill, of Dancy; and two sons, Charles, of Antigo, and William, whose whereabouts is unknown, are left.

The remains will be brought to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Strong, 228 4th avenue, tomorrow, and the funeral will take place from St. Stephen's church at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

MRS. W. P. HARWOOD.

Mrs. Christine, widow of the late W. P. Harwood, died at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary A. Harwood, 134 Portage street, at 7:30 last evening. The aged lady had made her home at Jordan, but being in failing health, it was decided to bring her to the city. She came to town in a carriage on Tuesday, and being very weak upon arrival, laid down in bed, where she remained apparently resting. Upon going to the bed at half past seven, the daughter-in-law was shocked to find her mother dead. Mrs. Harwood was born in New York in 1810, and was 86 years of age. She came here with her husband in 1858, and had lived at Jordan and near Shantytown ever since. Mr. Harwood died seven years ago, leaving his wife \$800 in cash. Of this amount she had about \$100 left when death came. An only son, Ezra B. Harwood, and husband of Mrs. Mary Harwood, was killed in the woods nine years ago. For a number of years the family lived at Binghamton, N. Y., before coming west. The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, with interment in the Plover Hills cemetery.

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**The Gazette.**

**OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER.**

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 5, 1896.

—Ice cream in quantity at The Bazaar, 403 Main street.

—Epilepsy positively cured. See Dr. Towns, at Jacobs House, Aug. 8th.

—John Collins, of Portage, spent the last couple of days of the week in the city.

—Mrs. J. Rupp started for Chicago, Saturday morning, to spend a few days with friends.

—Mrs. Charles Tate, of Waukesha, was the guest of Mrs. L. A. Krembs on Saturday and Sunday.

—Geo. H. Singleton, of Prentice, district attorney of Price county, spent Saturday in this city.

—Dry, are you? Then try the healthful, cooling phosphate drinks at French, Campbell & Co.'s

—Chas. Oatman, of Oshkosh, now has charge of the culinary department at J. H. Moffitt & Co.'s.

—Chas. Scheel, of Oshkosh, the hustling cigar manufacturer, transacted business in this city Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murat are again at home, after spending several days very pleasantly with Medford friends.

—Miss Jennie Howe, after a pleasant visit at the home of Miss Bertha Doty, in this city, left for Madison on Saturday.

—Miss Julia E. McGuire, of this city, has just returned after visiting her uncle, aunt and their little daughter at Merrill.

—County Clerk Lane has a four column tax deed notice in this issue of THE GAZETTE in which property owners should be interested.

—The North Side Lumber Co. is headquarters for all kinds of builders' material, and customers can be accommodated on short notice.

—The examination in the Cate-Brill case before B. R. Goggins, of Grand Rapids, as referee, was adjourned on Thursday last to the 25th inst.

—The Hagemester Brewing Co.'s "Favorite" beer is put up in pints and quarts. Guaranteed pure and unadulterated. Telephone 64. tf

—Either the stores on Strong's avenue, Nos. 107 or 109, for rent immediately. Call upon or address Miss Flora Tack, 533 Main street, city. tf

—Good pasture for stock, with spring water, 15 minutes walk from public square. Terms reasonable. Enquire of Fred. Hodsdon, the milkman. a29tf

—Dept. Commander Jones and Adjutant Merrick attended the soldiers' reunion at Waupaca, last Thursday. They report a large attendance and an enjoyable time.

—Miss Alice Gross left for Milwaukee, the last of the week, where she will spend the ensuing two or three weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Figge.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McDill are at Milwaukee this week, where Mr. McDill yesterday attended a meeting of the Republican state central committee, of which he is a member.

—John E. Webster, who had been with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Webster, for some weeks, left for New York, the last of the week, to resume his duties as an electrical engineer.

—Robt. and Miss Rose Rossman, of Merrill, spent Saturday in the city visiting among friends. They had been visiting their parents at Waupun, and had made the entire trip by team

—J. P. N. Brown, of Berlin, representing the Baker Mfg. Co., of Evansville, spent a few hours in the city, last Friday, visiting with his sister, Mrs. A. G. Cary. A pleasant call at this office is acknowledged.

—The bicycle races at Neenah, Thursday and Friday, in which Ole Virum, W. F. Dewey and Harry Welty are entered for three contests each day, promise to be interesting, and some fast riders will take part.

—Fremont D. Hardy, who has been agent for the Northwestern at Chilton, for the past year, spent a day or two in the city, this week, while on his way west, intending to go as far as the Pacific coast, and may conclude to locate there.

—Call the Hagemester Brewing Co.'s beer. Sold by all first-class dealers. tf

—Mrs. J. R. Congdon spent Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. Trimble at Waupaca.

—Miss Flora Booth is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Giles, of Kaukauna.

—When wanting upholstering done call upon John Peickert's Sons, 145 Main street. tf

—Irene Krembs is visiting with relatives and friends in Milwaukee and Waukesha.

—A five room house for rent, at 226 Prairie street. Will rent cheap. Call on Eugene Tack. tf

—Prof. Culver and party returned from their trip down the Wisconsin river last Friday.

—A. C. Ludington, local manager of the telephone exchange, spent Sunday at Marshfield.

—County Treasurer Webster reports a balance on hand of \$27,091.09 in all funds, on the 1st inst.

—Hard times not in it. Stevens Point to Marshfield and return 75 cents, Sunday, Aug. 9th.

—J. R. Brinker is among the latest veterans of the rebellion to receive a pension from Uncle Sam.

—E. B. Sanders, of Merrillan, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city, visiting with Henry and J. D. Curran.

—A. G. Green, at his meat market, pays the highest cash price for hides and pelts. Call and see him before you sell. n6tf

—Try one glass of our ice cream soda and we feel confident you will come again for more. French, Campbell & Co.

—The day that Republicans, Democrats, Populists and Prohibitionists celebrate alike: Circus day, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

—Conductor Pixley, of Ashland, spent Sunday visiting with his scores of Stevens Point friends, returning to his duties that night.

—Buyers of flour can save 75 cents per barrel by purchasing the celebrated Rosebud, manufactured by the Jackson Milling Co., instead of buying flour made elsewhere. tf

—Eugene Tack, the efficient salesman at the C. Krembs & Bro. hardware store, is taking his annual vacation this week, and will probably visit at neighboring points.

—Burglar and fire proof safety deposit boxes for rent by the Citizens National Bank. Prices, \$3.00 per year and upwards. The only burglar proof deposit boxes in this part of the state. sp19tf

—Thos. Cauley went down to Neenah, Saturday afternoon, called there by the illness of his wife. Mrs. Cauley and children had been visiting relatives in that city for a couple of weeks.

—Mrs. F. Pier and Mrs. M. H. Clark, of Chicago, are visiting at the home of their son and brother, W. H. Pier, on Church street. Mrs. Clark's two daughters, Earlie and Edith, are also here.

—Mrs. G. A. Manthey left for Portage last Saturday morning, on a visit, and was accompanied by Misses Helen and Laura Schmitt, of Merrill, who had been visiting with their sisters here for a couple of weeks.

—Harry Hutchinson, of Milwaukee, and who is now employed as a printer in the Sentinel office, spent Tuesday in Stevens Point with old friends and associates while on his way to Kilbourn. His mother, Mrs. B. R. Hutchinson, was also here.

—Clarence Karner and Miss Jessie Baker joined a party of campers, last Saturday morning, bound for Lake Emily. They were met by the Misses Connor and Robt. Connor, of Auburndale, and Mr. Trumbell and Misses Olin and Dorn of Marshfield.

—T. C. Clifford and family, of Chicago, have been guests at the home of Supt. A. R. Horn for several days. Mr. Clifford is a former Central conductor, later was superintendent of the dining car service, but is now engaged in the restaurant business.

—Herbert S. Perry, of Merrillan, has been engaged as principal of the Amherst village school. Mr. Perry is a graduate of the full course Stevens Point Normal, class of '96, which is a sufficient guarantee that the Amherst schools will be well conducted next year.

—B. B. P., owned by Louis Brill of this city, trotted his first race this season at Freeport, Ill., last Thursday. He took second place in the first two heats, fourth in the third and fifth in the fourth, winning third money. Pat L. took first money, Delmont second and B. B. P. third. Best time, 2:09 1/4.

—Ed. Burns, of Chicago, arrived here last Friday morning, to spend a couple of weeks at his old home in Almond. Mr. Burns has attended the dental college connected with Northwestern University for a couple of years and expects to graduate next spring.

—The Chicago Clothing Co., S. Michael proprietor, who started in business in the Moen building, on Third street, some three weeks ago, disposed of the stock to I. Weltman, last Monday. Mr. Weltman will replenish the stock with new goods at once and continue the business at the same stand.

—T. L. McClachlin returned from a visit to Plattville, Monday evening.

—Miss Kate Ball is a guest of Mrs. Whitmore, of Manitowoc, this week.

—A big time ahead. A double ball game at Marshfield, Sunday, Aug. 9th.

—Fred. Perkins spent Saturday in Waukesha, visiting his brothers and among friends.

—Montgomery Whaling went down to Chicago, Saturday morning, to see the sights for a day or two.

—Miss Louise Fox, who visited friends here for several days, returned to her home in Chicago last Saturday.

—Miss Isabelle Patterson is again on duty at the Normal, after a pleasant visit with relatives at River Falls.

—Thomas Hyde came up from Waupaca and spent a couple of days in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Hyde will finish camping there in a few days.

—Miss Agnes Cahill returned to her Waukesha home, Saturday morning, after a pleasant visit with her cousin, Mrs. M. Cassidy, at the Arlington.

—Mrs. A. H. Booth, of Colby, spent last Wednesday in the city, coming down to secure a boarding place for her daughter, who will again enter the Normal next year.

—To amuse and entertain their patrons a grand free exhibition is given by the Bond Brothers' shows on the show grounds immediately following the parade, Wednesday, August 12.

—A double ball game between Marshfield and Stevens Point, and Portage and Chippewa Falls teams, at Marshfield, Sunday, Aug. 9th, for the championship of the state and a prize of \$200.

—Mrs. M. Clifford returned from Berlin, last Saturday evening, and Miss Mamie Quinn left for that city the same morning, where she will act as housekeeper for her cousin, Rev. M. H. Clifford.

—Ernest Viertel purchased the bar fixtures, tables, etc., in John Martin's old stand on Strongs avenue, on Monday, and expects to sell them to other parties, to be shipped outside the city, in a few days.

—J. A. Bremmer, W. H. Skinner and L. A. Pomeroy left for Shantytown, yesterday morning, to put in a week camping. They will return with a large quantity of game, several bushels of berries and some immense fish stories.

—A. M. Nelson has purchased an 18 or 20 acre piece of land from Mrs. Mary Coulthurst, located near the city limits, on the west side of the river. If Mr. Nelson can secure a suitable tenant, the land will be used as a garden or truck farm.

—The work of filling around the trestle work on the G. B. & W. R. R. bridge crossing the Little Plover, is now progressing nicely. The filling at the Big Plover bridge, which required 4,259 car loads of dirt, has been completed.

—John Jones spent a part of last week at Kenosha, where he expected to secure some cement walk contracts, but the same were not ready at this time. He expects to go to Waupaca in a short time and do no small amount of work.

—The musical given under the auspices of St Agnes Guild, at the Episcopal church, last Thursday evening, was a fine success, as an entertainment, but the crowd was not as large as the excellent program merited. The net receipts were less than \$10.00.

—C. A. Lamoreux, one of Ashland's leading attorneys, spent a few hours in the city, Wednesday evening last, and accompanied home his wife and little ones, who had been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Lawrence, and sister, Mrs. C. B. Baker.

—Work on A. P. Een's new home on Center avenue, between Clark and Ellis streets, is now well under way, H. C. Day having the contract. The building is 40x26 feet, two stories high, and will cost about \$1,200. Mr. Een is still among the bachelors, but—

—Why is Dr. Towns' office crowded with patients every time he visits Stevens Point? Because he gives no false encouragement and will undertake no case that he cannot cure. The doctor will be at the Jacobs House again Aug. 8th, for one day only.

—Every good citizen of Stevens Point should wear a Druggists' badge, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, when the state convention is held. These badges cost but \$1.00 each, and admit you to all games, entertainments, banquet, etc. On sale at all druggists.

—Every Saturday afternoon until further notice, (beginning June 13th) the ladies of the Presbyterian church will have a table in the H. D. McCulloch Co. store, where they will offer for sale steamed brown bread, baked beans, cottage cheese, cakes, doughnuts and the like. They will also fill orders sent in beforehand. Orders can be left with Mrs. Buckingham, 432 Main street. tf

—As between six and eight hundred strangers will be with us next week, attending the convention, our people should see that their lawns are made thoroughly presentable, and if any weeds are growing in front of your house, cut them down at once. This city is large enough to put on metropolitan airs and a few moments work on the part of property holders will make a wonderful difference in the appearance of things.

—T. L. McClachlin returned from a visit to Plattville, Monday evening.

—Miss Kate Ball is a guest of Mrs. Whitmore, of Manitowoc, this week.

—A big time ahead. A double ball game at Marshfield, Sunday, Aug. 9th.

—Fred. Perkins spent Saturday in Waukesha, visiting his brothers and among friends.

—Montgomery Whaling went down to Chicago, Saturday morning, to see the sights for a day or two.

—Miss Louise Fox, who visited friends here for several days, returned to her home in Chicago last Saturday.

—Miss Isabelle Patterson is again on duty at the Normal, after a pleasant visit with relatives at River Falls.

—Thomas Hyde came up from Waupaca and spent a couple of days in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Hyde will finish camping there in a few days.

—Miss Agnes Cahill returned to her Waukesha home, Saturday morning, after a pleasant visit with her cousin, Mrs. M. Cassidy, at the Arlington.

—Mrs. A. H. Booth, of Colby, spent last Wednesday in the city, coming down to secure a boarding place for her daughter, who will again enter the Normal next year.

—To amuse and entertain their patrons a grand free exhibition is given by the Bond Brothers' shows on the show grounds immediately following the parade, Wednesday, August 12.

—A double ball game between Marshfield and Stevens Point, and Portage and Chippewa Falls teams, at Marshfield, Sunday, Aug. 9th, for the championship of the state and a prize of \$200.

—Mrs. M. Clifford returned from Berlin, last Saturday evening, and Miss Mamie Quinn left for that city the same morning, where she will act as housekeeper for her cousin, Rev. M. H. Clifford.

—Ernest Viertel purchased the bar fixtures, tables, etc., in John Martin's old stand on Strongs avenue, on Monday, and expects to sell them to other parties, to be shipped outside the city, in a few days.

—J. A. Bremmer, W. H. Skinner and L. A. Pomeroy left for Shantytown, yesterday morning, to put in a week camping. They will return with a large quantity of game, several bushels of berries and some immense fish stories.

—A. M. Nelson has purchased an 18 or 20 acre piece of land from Mrs. Mary Coulthurst, located near the city limits, on the west side of the river. If Mr. Nelson can secure a suitable tenant, the land will be used as a garden or truck farm.

—The work of filling around the trestle work on the G. B. & W. R. R. bridge crossing the Little Plover, is now progressing nicely. The filling at the Big Plover bridge, which required 4,259 car loads of dirt, has been completed.

—John Jones spent a part of last week at Kenosha, where he expected to secure some cement walk contracts, but the same were not ready at this time. He expects to go to Waupaca in a short time and do no small amount of work.

—The musical given under the auspices of St Agnes Guild, at the Episcopal church, last Thursday evening, was a fine success, as an entertainment, but the crowd was not as large as the excellent program merited. The net receipts were less than \$10.00.

—C. A. Lamoreux, one of Ashland's leading attorneys, spent a few hours in the city, Wednesday evening last, and accompanied home his wife and little ones, who had been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Lawrence, and sister, Mrs. C. B. Baker.

—Work on A. P. Een's new home on Center avenue, between Clark and Ellis streets, is now well under way, H. C. Day having the contract. The building is 40x26 feet, two stories high, and will cost about \$1,200. Mr. Een is still among the bachelors, but—

—Why is Dr. Towns' office crowded with patients every time he visits Stevens Point? Because he gives no false encouragement and will undertake no case that he cannot cure. The doctor will be at the Jacobs House again Aug. 8th, for one day only.

—Every good citizen of Stevens Point should wear a Druggists' badge, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, when the state convention is held. These badges cost but \$1.00 each, and admit you to all games, entertainments, banquet, etc. On sale at all druggists.

—Every Saturday afternoon until further notice, (beginning June 13th) the ladies of the Presbyterian church will have a table in the H. D. McCulloch Co. store, where they will offer for sale steamed brown bread, baked beans, cottage cheese, cakes, doughnuts and the like. They will also fill orders sent in beforehand. Orders can be left with Mrs. Buckingham, 432 Main street. tf

—As between six and eight hundred strangers will be with us next week, attending the convention, our people should see that their lawns are made thoroughly presentable, and if any weeds are growing in front of your house, cut them down at once. This city is large enough to put on metropolitan airs and a few moments work on the part of property holders will make a wonderful difference in the appearance of things.

—Excursion to Marshfield, Sunday, Aug. 9th. Round trip only 75 cents.

—Judge J. A. Murat left for Milwaukee, this forenoon, to attend the convention.

—John Peickert's Sons, opposite the Curran House, are prepared to do upholstering in all its branches. tf

—Arthur Wert came down from McMillan, Saturday evening, and spent Sunday visiting with his father and brother.

—All who have subscribed for badges for the druggists' convention, are requested to call and get them immediately.

—W. F. Owen and wife, after spending a week very pleasantly camping at Lake Emily, returned to the city on Monday.

—Miss Louise Vosburg, after spending several weeks in attendance at the Highland Park summer school, Chicago, is again at home.

—C. E. Van Hecke, secretary of the John Rice & Bro. Co., has been confined to his home for several days with an attack of quinsy.

—Send for free catalogue of the Chicago Barber School, 283 South Clark street, Chicago. The Barber Trade taught thoroughly in two months. jyl5w4

—J. W. Brown, organizer for the Maccabees, returned to his home here yesterday morning, after an extended trip in Minnesota. He will remain in the city several weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Doyle and children came down from Cadott, Monday evening, to visit relatives here and in Stockton for a few days. Mr. Doyle is general foreman for E. A. Martin, the extensive logger.

—The through train from Poverty to Prosperity leaves in the morning of life. The later trains are slow freights, uncomfortable and unreliable. The Stevens Point Business College offers you the luxurious facilities of the through express. w2

—Al. Eaton, who represents the great firm of David Wise & Co., distillers, spent Thursday with his family in this city. This firm furnished the handsome programs for the meeting of the Wisconsin Pharmaceutical Association, in this city, next week.

—N. H. Ingersoll, of Brainerd, Minn., accompanied by his wife and little son, is visiting at the home of his parents in Plover. Newt. is editor of the Brainerd Dispatch, having lived in that city for several years, and is a successful newspaper man, as well as being somewhat of a politician. He will remain here for a week or more.

—The five Stevens Point drug stores have guaranteed all expenses of the state convention next week, and they only ask that our people purchase liberally of the badges now on sale. You will not only be helping along the good work by investing a dollar for one of these badges, but will more than get your money's worth of entertainment.

—Robt. Langdon left for Oshkosh, last Saturday morning, where he will enter a hospital, expecting to remain for two or three weeks. Robt. has been troubled with his old complaint, rheumatism, of late, and through the advice of Dr. Russell, of Oshkosh, he will take baths and treatment for that disease. All his many friends trust he will come home fully recuperated.

—Jas. A. Powers and Miss Emma Bandlin, of Grand Rapids, were married at the Arlington House, in this city, by Justice G. L. Park, last Thursday. Both were much respected residents of our neighboring city, and the marriage was a surprise to their many friends. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Powers left on a wedding tour to cities below, to be gone for a short time.

—The base ball nine that went to Medford, last Sunday, came out second best, and those who saw it, pronounce the game one of the most "rocky" of the season. The first five innings, however, when Quinn pitched for the Stevens Pointers, the game was good, being 3 to 23 in our favor, but he had his arm injured in sliding to second base, and those who took his place in the box failed to do as well. The game ended in a score of 37 to 35, in favor of Medford.

—M. E. Means, wife and daughter returned from Tomahawk Lake, last Thursday evening, where they spent the previous two months. Tomahawk Lake is one of the finest bodies of water in Northern Wisconsin, supplied with an abundance of fish, mostly of the bass variety, and there is no more pleasant and healthful place to spend an outing. Mr. Means, who was in poor health when he went away, comes back feeling better than he has for years, being strong and robust.

—There was a lively little battle near the corner of Clark and Second streets, last Saturday afternoon, at which time Valentine Volosik, of Stockton, was attacked by Gabriel, Sigmund and Adolph Green, father and two son, or they were attacked by him. The trouble grew out of the purchase of a pair of overalls by the man from Stockton, which he claimed he paid for, but thereafter the Greens demanded more money. The Second street merchants deny this, and say they were set upon by Volosik. No one was badly hurt in the fracas, and when the police arrived all was serene once more.

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**Legals.**  
[First pub. Aug. 5th-6th ins.]  
**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.** Land Office  
at Wausau, Wis., July 24th, 1896.  
Notice is hereby given that the following  
named settler has filed notice of his intention  
to make final proof in support of his claim,  
and that said proof will be made before the  
Judge or Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Stevens  
Point, Wis., on November 4th, 1896, viz: Mor-  
ton S. Cook, H. E. No. 7159, for the N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>,  
Sec. 10, Town 21 North, Range 7 East. He  
names the following witnesses to prove his  
continuous residence upon and cultivation of  
said land, viz: Merit A. Stoddard, Oscar F.  
Seamans, Walter W. Wood and Henry Sher-  
wood, all of Stevens Point, Wis.  
LOUIS MARCHETTI, Register.

[First pub. July 29-31 ins.]  
**NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE**  
OF MORTGAGE.—State of Wisconsin,  
In Circuit Court for Portage County. J. G.  
Ford, plaintiff, vs. Mary Coulburt, defend-  
ant.  
Notice is hereby given that by virtue and  
in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure  
and sale made and entered in the above en-  
titled action on the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1896,  
the undersigned Sheriff of Portage County,  
Wisconsin, will on the 12th day of September,  
1896, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that  
day, at the front door of the Court House, in  
the city of Stevens Point, in said Portage  
County, offer for sale and sell at public auc-  
tion to the highest bidder, the following de-  
scribed premises, to-wit: The west half of  
the north-west quarter, and the north half of  
the south-west quarter, of Section number  
fourteen (14), in Township number twenty-two  
(22) North, of Range eight (8) East, in the  
county of Portage, State of Wisconsin.  
Dated July 28th, A. D. 1896.  
JOHN LEAHY, Sheriff of  
Portage County, Wis.  
CATE, SANBORN, LAMOREUX & PARK,  
Attys. for Plaintiff.

**Notice of General Election.**  
**STATE OF WISCONSIN,** ss.  
**DEPARTMENT OF STATE.**  
Notice is hereby given that at a general  
election to be held in the several towns,  
wards, villages and election districts of the  
State of Wisconsin on the Tuesday succeeding  
the first Monday, being the 30th day of Novem-  
ber, A. D. 1896, the following officers are to  
be elected, to-wit:  
Twelve Electors of President and Vice  
President of the United States.  
A Governor in place of William H. Upham,  
whose term of office will expire on the first  
Monday of January, A. D. 1897.  
A Lieutenant Governor in place of Emil  
Baensch, whose term of office will expire on  
the first Monday of January, A. D. 1897.  
A Secretary of State in place of Henry Cas-  
son, whose term of office will expire on the  
first Monday of January, A. D. 1897.  
A State Treasurer in place of Newell Peter-  
sen, whose term of office will expire on the  
first Monday of January, A. D. 1897.  
An Attorney General in place of William  
H. Mylrea, whose term of office will expire  
on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1897.  
A State Superintendent in place of John Q.  
Emery, whose term of office will expire on  
the first Monday of January, A. D. 1897.  
A Railroad Commissioner in place of Dun-  
can McKenzie, whose term of office will ex-  
pire on the first Monday of January, A. D.  
1897.  
Commissioner of Insurance in place of  
William A. Fricke, whose term of office will  
expire on the first Monday of January, A. D.  
1897.  
A Representative in Congress for the Eighth  
Congressional District, consisting of the coun-  
ties of Wood, Portage, Waupaca, Outagamie,  
Brown, Kewaunee and Door.  
A Member of Assembly for the first Assem-  
bly District of Portage County, consisting of  
the towns of Carson, East, Plaine, Hull, Shar-  
on and the City of Stevens Point.  
A Member of Assembly for the second As-  
sembly District of Portage County, consisting  
of the towns of Alban, Almond, Amherst,  
Belmont, Buena Vista, Grant, Lantark, Lin-  
wood, New Hope, Pine Grove, Plover, Stev-  
ens Point and Stockton.  
Also, all county officers required by law to  
be chosen at such election.  
Amended to the Constitution:  
Notice is further given that at said general  
election the following proposition to be  
submitted to the people in pursuance of the  
requirements of Chapter 177 of the laws of  
1895, which reads as follows:  
Chapter 177, Laws of 1895.  
An act to submit to the people an amend-  
ment to section 1, of article 10, of the consti-  
tution of the State of Wisconsin.  
Whereas, At the biennial session of the leg-  
islature of this State for the year 1893, an  
amendment to the constitution of this state  
was proposed and agreed to by a majority of  
the members elected to each of the two  
houses, which proposed amendment was in  
the following language:  
"Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate con-  
curring, That Section 1, Article 10, of the  
Constitution of the State of Wisconsin be  
amended by striking out this sentence: 'Pro-  
vided that his compensation shall not exceed  
the sum of twelve hundred dollars annually.'  
The people of the State of Wisconsin, re-  
presented in Senate and Assembly do enact  
as follows:  
Section 1. The foregoing proposed amend-  
ment to the constitution of the State of Wis-  
consin, shall be submitted to a vote of the  
people of this State in the manner now pro-  
vided by law for the submission of proposed  
amendments at the next general election in  
November, 1896.  
Section 2. This act shall take effect and be  
in force from and after its passage and pub-  
lication.  
Approved April 11, 1895.  
Given under my hand and official seal at  
the Capitol in the City of Madison, this 7th  
day of July, A. D. 1896.  
HENRY CASSON,  
Secretary of State.  
To the County Clerk of Portage County,  
Wisconsin.

**Legals.**  
[First pub. July 29-31 ins.]  
**ORDER FOR ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS**  
In Probate—Portage County Court.  
In the matter of the estate of Anton P. Cy-  
chosz, deceased.  
Letters of administration on the estate of  
Anton P. Cychosz, deceased, having been  
issued to Paulina Cychosz, it is Ordered that  
six and 2/30ths months from and after this  
date, to-wit: the 29th day of July, 1896, the  
creditors of said Anton P. Cychosz, do  
present their claims for examination  
and allowance. Ordered further, that the  
claims and demands of all persons against  
said deceased be received, examined and ad-  
justed by this court at the regular term there-  
of, to be held at the Court House, in the city  
of Stevens Point, in said Portage County, on  
the first Monday of February, A. D. 1897, and  
that notice thereof be given by publication in  
the order and notice for four weeks successively  
in the Gazette, a weekly newspaper pub-  
lished in the city of Stevens Point, in said  
county.  
Dated July 14th, A. D. 1896.  
By the Court.  
JOHN A. MURRAY, County Judge.  
Per J. A. MCCARTHY, Register in Probate.

[1st pub. July 8-9 ins. 7.]  
**IN CIRCUIT COURT, PORTAGE COUN-**  
**TY.** D. E. Green, Plaintiff, vs. William  
Moran, Rhoda P. Moran, Frank Maehin, Mil-  
lennium Harvesting Co. and J. F. Gallagher &  
Co., defendants.  
By virtue of and pursuant to a judgment  
rendered in said Circuit Court, in the above  
entitled action, which judgment was dated  
June 20th, 1896, and directed the clerk of  
the Court to sell at public auction, on the 22d  
day of August, 1896, at the hour of eleven  
o'clock in the forenoon of that day, all the  
following described mortgaged premises, or  
so much thereof as may be sufficient to raise  
the amount due the plaintiff for principal, in-  
terest and costs, together with the disburse-  
ments of sale and solicitor's fees, to-wit: Sit-  
uated in the County of Portage and State of  
Wisconsin, and described as the south one  
half of the north-west quarter of Section 28,  
Township 21 North, of Range 10 East.  
Dated Waupaca, Wis., July 24, 1896.  
JOHN A. MURRAY, Sheriff of  
Portage County, Wis.  
CHURCHILL & SANBORN, Attys. for Plaintiff.

[1st pub. July 15-16 ins. 7.]  
**SUMMONS.** In Circuit Court, Portage Coun-  
ty, George W. Van Buskirk and Charles  
L. Van Buskirk, Plaintiffs, vs. Theresa Chilla,  
Frank Chilla, George Chilla, Anna Chilla,  
Mary Chilla, Theresa Chilla and Peter Chilla,  
heirs at law of Kazimierz Chilla, deceased, and  
J. D. Curran and Louis Wiesner, copartners  
under the firm name of Curran & Wiesner,  
and Joseph Quinn, George Glinski and  
Frank Shafanski, Defendants.  
The State of Wisconsin, To the said De-  
fendants, and each of them: You are hereby  
summoned to appear within twenty days  
after service of this summons, exclusive of  
the day of service, and defend the above en-  
titled action, the court aforesaid; and in  
case of your failure so to do, judgment will be  
rendered against you according to the de-  
mand of the complaint; of which a copy is  
hereby served upon you.  
CATE, SANBORN, LAMOREUX & PARK,  
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.  
P. O. Address: Stevens Point,  
Portage County, Wis.  
To the said Defendant, Frank Chilla—Take  
notice that the complaint in the above en-  
titled action was filed in the Office of the  
Clerk of the Circuit Court for Portage County,  
Wisconsin, on the 24 day of June, A. D. 1896.  
CATE, SANBORN, LAMOREUX & PARK,  
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The custom in the Union army was to  
have each regiment carry two flags—a regi-  
mental, with the state coat of arms em-  
blazoned upon a plain blue field, and a na-  
tional, the stars and stripes, with the name  
and number of the regiment. The regi-  
mental flags of the Irish brigade (New  
York), for instance, were of deep green,  
emblazoned with the harp, sunburst and  
shamrock. All Irish regiments in the ser-  
vice carried such flags. How deeply Celtic  
enthusiasm could be stirred by the banner  
of green was illustrated during the repulse  
of Pickett at Gettysburg. Cowan's First  
New York battery was ordered in to re-  
lieve Cushing's about the time that Ar-  
mistead's men had reached the stone wall.  
A simultaneous movement was made by  
the Irish brigade from the left toward the  
threatened point. One of Cowan's drivers,  
an Irishman not especially brave, hesitated  
about urging his team forward where the  
missiles flew thick and fast. Suddenly  
Erin's banner flashed from behind a ledge  
of rock and caught his eye. Rising in his  
stirrups, he exclaimed, "Althor of Moses,  
the old flag!" and lashed and spurred his  
horses on with a display of zeal that his  
captain, by the most profane appeals,  
had never been able to arouse.

All that can be said of northern battle-  
flags can be said of southern ones too.  
Each succeeding state sent out troops on its  
own account, and with them, as a symbol,  
its own colors, usually the coat of arms of  
the state on a plain field. Among such  
were the famous Palmetto of South Caro-  
lina, the Pelican of Louisiana and the  
Lone Star or Bonny Blue Flag of Texas.  
The flag of the Forty-seventh North Caro-  
lina bore the dates May 20, 1775, and  
May 20, 1861, the dates of the revolt of  
the colony against England and of the  
secession of the state.

The first official flag of the south was  
the stars and bars, a flag partly copied  
from the Union banner and bearing such  
a strong resemblance to it that the two  
were not distinguishable in the field. In  
battle the opposing commands became  
hopelessly entangled, as in the first Bull  
Run, and though the results were bloody  
enough to suit the occasion the southern-  
ers thought the slaughter was not well  
distributed, and began to introduce new  
colors as battle flags, leaving the stars and  
bars for civil and headquarters use. A flag  
known as a "battleground" appeared in 1862,  
and the cross, similar to that of the Cres-  
cent City flag of 1861, was its principal  
emblem. This flag consisted of a red fly,  
with two blue diagonal bars, having nar-  
row white borders crossed in the center.  
The bars were white stars numbered ac-  
cording to fancy. Some of the Texans  
planned their bars with a single star. The  
famous flag song,

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**CLEOPATRA.**  
Thou fated sorceress of the Nile,  
A kingdom crumbled at thy smile.  
Men pledged their hearts and souls to thee,  
Whose loveliness was fancy free.  
Of all who felt thy lotus breath  
Only a serpent knew not death.  
And we, who wrote in modern times,  
This style of Cleopatra's rhymes,  
Perhaps it scarcely need be said  
We wouldn't, if thou wert not dead,  
Oft wonder if that asp did not,  
Before he bit into the spot,  
Take out in some good company  
A life insurance policy.  
—W. J. Lampton in New York Sun.

**TOOK BOARDERS ON THE SLV**  
**Plight of a Man Who Sought to Spare His**  
**Landlady's Feelings.**  
"Every man who has ever looked for  
country board within reasonable distance  
of New York has experienced the wiles of  
the suburban boarding house keeper in his  
own way," said a broker yesterday, "and  
I have come to the conclusion that my ex-  
perience in New Rochelle several years ago  
is a rather common one. I found a very  
respectable, charming family up there who  
told me that they were in reduced circum-  
stances and therefore they would take my  
family for the summer. Their rates were  
about twice as high as those of the average  
country hotel, but their house was con-  
veniently located, and I took rooms and  
board with them.  
"The woman said that she had never  
taken boarders before, and she didn't want  
her neighbors in New Rochelle to know  
that she had been reduced to taking board-  
ers now. If I and my family didn't mind,  
she would give it out that we were old ac-  
quaintances, and that she had invited us to  
pass the summer with her. This would be  
a great favor to her daughters and herself.  
They seemed like very decent people, and  
I saw no objection to this plan. Their ta-  
ble was a poor one, but our rooms were  
reasonably comfortable, and we made the  
best of it during the summer. When their  
friends called on them, they always refer-  
red to us as their guests, and, as we had  
few acquaintances in New Rochelle and we  
felt really sorry for the family, we didn't  
treat them as paid boarding house keepers.  
About a month after we opened our house  
in town a friend of mine said laughingly:  
"That was a long visit of yours with  
the Joneses in New Rochelle."  
"Yes, we spent the summer there," I  
replied.  
"Well, you are fortunate to have ac-  
quaintances in the country to entertain you  
during the summer," he said, and then I  
found that Mrs. Jones had told him that  
we had been invited for a month and that  
we had staid all summer. She had gone to  
various people in New Rochelle and in-  
vented the length of our stay, and even  
hinted that it was an imposition.  
"Now, that was a nice light to appear  
in, wasn't it? My consideration for her  
feelings had led me open to this charge.  
Of course my friends knew that it was un-  
true, but I have heard it in various forms  
from acquaintances of mine ever since. I  
have attempted to place Mrs. Jones in her  
true character in self defense, and now I  
will go only to regular boarding houses.  
Several acquaintances of mine have had  
similar experiences with landladies in re-  
duced circumstances who were assumed of  
keeping a boarding house."—New York Sun.

**Too Cool.**  
An instance of unusual and perhaps un-  
wisely exercised "nerve" is related by C.  
E. Ryan in his experiences with the wound-  
ed in the Franco-Prussian war.  
A young man, hardly more than a boy,  
had been shot through the wrist, and an  
amputation was considered necessary. He  
was a vivacious, charming young fellow,  
with a beaming countenance and a twinkle  
in his eye, and when they went into tell  
him the verdict and take him to the opera-  
tion ward he was smoking a cigar.  
Not a whit dismayed, he got out of bed,  
partially dressed himself and tripped brisk-  
ly up the passage, smoking his cigar all  
the while until he mounted the operation  
table. His arm was amputated, but when  
he recovered from the chloroform state he  
refused to go back to bed until he had seen  
his comrade's leg cut off.  
"I want to see how it is done," said he  
coolly.  
Then he quietly smoked another cigar  
and attentively watched every step of the  
operation, and when it was over he and his  
companion returned to their ward together.

**A Monkey School.**  
There has been founded at Calcutta an  
institution for the education of monkeys.  
A young monkey



# WISCONSIN CENTRAL LINE

Arrival and departure of trains from Stevens Point

## GOING NORTH

Train	Arrive	Depart
Passenger No. 1	1:30 a.m.	1:45 a.m.
Passenger No. 2	5:15 a.m.	5:30 a.m.
Passenger No. 3	9:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Passenger No. 4	1:15 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
Passenger No. 5	5:15 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Passenger No. 6	9:15 p.m.	9:30 p.m.

## GOING SOUTH

Train	Arrive	Depart
Passenger No. 1	1:30 a.m.	1:45 a.m.
Passenger No. 2	5:15 a.m.	5:30 a.m.
Passenger No. 3	9:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Passenger No. 4	1:15 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
Passenger No. 5	5:15 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Passenger No. 6	9:15 p.m.	9:30 p.m.

## Freight Division

Train	Arrive	Depart
Freight No. 1	1:30 a.m.	1:45 a.m.
Freight No. 2	5:15 a.m.	5:30 a.m.
Freight No. 3	9:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Freight No. 4	1:15 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
Freight No. 5	5:15 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Freight No. 6	9:15 p.m.	9:30 p.m.

## Freight Trains

Train	Arrive	Depart
Freight No. 1	1:30 a.m.	1:45 a.m.
Freight No. 2	5:15 a.m.	5:30 a.m.
Freight No. 3	9:15 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Freight No. 4	1:15 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
Freight No. 5	5:15 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
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## EXPLANATION

\* Daily.  
\* Only except Sunday.  
\* No. 1 and 2 run between Chicago, Milwaukee and Eau Claire.  
\* No. 3 and 4 run between Stevens Point and Chicago.  
\* No. 5 and 6 run between Stevens Point and Milwaukee.  
\* H. F. Whitcomb, Gen. Mgr.  
\* J. C. Pond, P. & T. A.

## GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R. CO.

Time table taking effect Sunday, July 22nd, 1896.

## TRAINS GOING SOUTH AND EAST

Train	Arrive	Depart
Leave, Passenger	1:30 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
Arrive, Passenger	5:15 P. M.	5:30 P. M.
Leave, Passenger	9:15 P. M.	9:30 P. M.

## TRAINS GOING SOUTH AND WEST

Train	Arrive	Depart
Leave, Passenger	1:30 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
Arrive, Passenger	5:15 P. M.	5:30 P. M.
Leave, Passenger	9:15 P. M.	9:30 P. M.

## S. W. CHAMPION, GEN. Supt.

## The Gazette.

## PLEASANT VALLEY.

Enoch Berry will start threshing this week.

Miss Anna Young is teaching our fall term of school.

Geo. and Wm. McGinley were pleasant callers in this burg, one day last week.

Miss Maggie Dougherty was the guest of Miss Ella Padden, a few days last week.

Thomas Gallanach went to Almond, last week, to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law.

The dance at the hall was not very largely attended, on account of the rain, but those that were there report a good time. It was given out that there would be another the 21st of August.

## SHANTYTOWN.

Crops look fine after the late showers.

Meeting was quite largely attended Sunday, Rev. Patch doing the preaching.

Misses Ada and Elsie Page and Ella Brown visited Miss Midge Bentley, Sunday.

Last Sunday as Wm. Dugan, of Jordan, was driving by Mr. Coats mill, his horse became unmanageable and Will, was thrown out of the buggy, striking his head against a rock and bruising his arm quite badly. The buggy was considerable wrecked.

Bear have been quite scarce since a young gentleman of this town went out blackberrying. His mode of killing bear was to wrap his vest around the left arm, put his hat on the left hand, and when the bear came to hit him with a long knife. This young man said that he had killed two already, and was not bear hunting either.

## JUNCTION CITY.

J. E. Burns and family returned Wednesday last.

The M. W. A. will endeavor to erect a new hall in the near future.

Mrs. Kenyon, of Tunnel City, is visiting her son, D. C. Kenyon.

Mrs. E. M. Hayes, of Centralia, is visiting her many friends here, this week.

D. C. Kenyon has been on the sick list a few days, but is now much improved.

John Emmertman, of Milladore, was in town Saturday evening and "rode the goat."

G. W. Kendall, relief agent for the Wisconsin Central R. R., went to Downing, Saturday.

A special train of ten coaches from Merrill, bound for Kilbourn, passed through here, Sunday.

Elz Crocheau came up here from Rudolph, last week, and will remain with us for a few weeks.

Frank Russell, of Park Falls, came down on the excursion, Sunday last, and took his family to Park Falls, on Monday.

[The above items were crowded out of our last issue.]

## SHAGS.

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# HISTORY OF A WEEK.

## THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS UP TO DATE.

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers—The Accident Record.

Senator Thurston will open the republican campaign in Kansas at the convention at Topeka, August 12.

The Washington republican state convention will be held at Tacoma August 26, to nominate presidential electors and a full state ticket.

W. E. Mason of Chicago and Judge Vickers of Vienna, Ill., opened the republican campaign in Marion, Ill., with characteristic addresses.

The democratic county convention at Perry, Ok., has nominated Thomas Britan of St. Joseph, Mo., a cousin of William J. Bryan, for treasurer.

The Texas state convention of the prohibition party at Dallas put a state ticket in the field to run strictly on prohibition. Randolph Clark of Waco heads it. Levering and Johnson were endorsed.

Damage by the flood in Madison county, Indiana, is placed at \$100,000.

At Findley, O., lightning set fire to a barn of William McGregor. Twenty-five head of Jersey cows were burned.

George Clinton of Monticello, Ill., was drowned while swimming in the Sangamon river. His body was recovered.

Elias Koontz, a wealthy resident of Chrisman, Ill., was killed by an Indianapolis, Decatur and Western train at Cherry Point. Koontz was crossing the track in a vehicle and he and both his horses were killed outright.

The duke of Westminster, as chairman of the Cretan distress fund, has appointed Blackford Smith of the British Antiquaries society, to distribute the English and American funds in Crete.

The Italian armored warship Roma, of about 5,800 tons displacement, was struck by lightning and caught fire. The flames spread so rapidly, threatening the magazine, it was found necessary to sink the ship by discharging torpedoes at her.

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In convention at Dallas, Texas, prohibitionists nominated Randolph Clark of Waco for governor.

James A. Mount, republican nominee for governor, addressed a mass meeting at Washington, Ind.

Nominee Bryan will pass through Des Moines Aug. 8, and the train will stop twenty minutes, during which time he will deliver an address.

"Sound money" democrats of Webster county, Iowa, have formed a club to work for a third ticket and repudiated the Chicago platform and nominee.

Michigan's free silver convention has been called to meet in Bay City Aug. 25. The democrats will meet at the same time and place, and fusion is the intention.

The populist campaign in South Dakota was formally opened at Sioux Falls, 1,000 persons listening to open-air speeches by Senator Pettigrew, Judge Palmer and others.

J. D. Collins of Vandavia was nominated for senator and D. H. Barber of Bond county for representative by the thirty-eighth district prohibitionists at Greenville, Ill.

President Charles E. Wilson of the Lafayette Courier presided at a meeting of the Indiana Republican Editorial association in that city. Papers of interest to the craft were discussed.

W. C. Holden, the populist nominee for congress in the tenth Illinois district, says that if the democratic nominee, W. R. Moore, of Rock Island, is not withdrawn, influences will be set to work to defeat the democratic state ticket.

"Sound money" voters of both parties in the fifteenth Illinois district may nominate an independent candidate, as Congressman Marsh and ex-Congressman Necece, respectively the republican and democratic nominees, are both advocates of silver.

Rev. Mr. Baldwin of Scotland, S. D., recently performed a unique marriage ceremony, about 700 miles separating the contracting parties. The bride was at Scotland and the groom was at a point in Indiana, the ceremony being performed by telegraph.

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Owing to the fall in the price of coffee exports from Brazil to the United States and Europe have been suspended.

A dispatch received at London from Vienna says the explosion of a fireworks factory magazine at Fuenfkirchen resulted in the death of five persons, the injuring of 100 others and the wrecking of the town hall and other houses. The factory was beneath the town hall. The whole town was shaken. Among the injured is the burgomaster. The victims were mostly market people.

One hundred members of the Manufacturers' club of Philadelphia paid a visit by appointment to Mr. Gladstone at Hawarden, England, Thursday.

Lightning set fire to the barn on the dairy farm of William McGregor, west of Findlay, Ohio, and the structure was destroyed. It contained twenty-five fine Jersey cows, and all efforts to save the animals were unavailing and they were cremated.

Lightning struck and destroyed the mammoth barn and granary on the Judge J. W. Marsh farm at Warsaw.

## CASUALTIES.

The 12-year-old son of Charles Mays, a farmer in Gregory county, South Dakota, while playing with a revolver accidentally shot and killed his 5-year-old sister.

Four large flood gates at Buckeye lake, near Newark, O., were opened to prevent the lake from overflowing its banks. The water rushed out, flooding 500 acres, washing away fields of grain and killing fifty sheep.

Mrs. John Moore, whose husband dropped dead at Rockford, Ill., Sunday, died of grief Wednesday. She was well in the morning, but said she was ready and wanted to die.

Henry Foreman was drowned in Eel river at Eel River station, Ind.

Dermott Sedgwick of Greenup, Ill., was drowned while bathing in the Ambraw river.

Joseph Bartley, who resided near Pesotum, Ill., was struck by an Illinois Central freight train about two miles south of Tolono, Ill., and killed instantly.

George Durr, a young farmer, was struck by a passenger train on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railway at Decatur, Ind., and instantly killed.

The Chicago and Peoria fast mail train on the Alton jumped the track about a mile south of Cazenovia. The engine and both rear coaches left the track, the coaches rolling down the embankment. No one was seriously hurt.

The steamer Birdie Bailey of the Yazoo and Tallahatchie transportation company was sunk in the Yazoo river, Mississippi, and is a total loss.

Charles Corey and Miss Kate Fihmann, both of Boston, were drowned in the Niagara river, between Grand Island and the Canadian shore, above Niagara Falls.

## FOREIGN.

The Italians in Zurich, Switzerland, are in a state of panic in consequence of the riots growing out of the killing of a Swiss by an Italian and the attack on the Italian quarter, in which serious excesses were committed.

The opposition party of Newfoundland has created a sensation by charging the government party with fraudulent reports on the revenue in order to show a large surplus.

Dr. Greenfield writes from Labrador that hundreds of people are perishing from starvation and are appealing for food and clothing to relieve their distress.

It is stated that the Spanish government has paid the enormous price of \$700,000 each for the two war vessels recently bought at Genoa, while a contract has just been given for two torpedo boat destroyers at \$50,000, which was dearer than the tender of a first-class English firm, on the ground that quicker delivery would be secured.

M. Meline, the premier of France, and nearly all of the ministers attended and delivered orations at the unveiling of a statue to the late Jules Ferry at St. Die, the birthplace of M. Ferry Sunday.

President Paure sent a telegram of regret at his inability to be present and expressing his appreciation of M. Ferry's patriotism.

At Cape Town a crowded, enthusiastic meeting has been held in favor of reinstatement of Cecil Rhodes as managing director of the British Chartered South Africa Company, but most of the leading and influential people of the colony were absent from the meeting.

## CRIME.

John Coleman, who was sentenced to be hanged at Dardanelle, Ark., for the murder of his wife and another woman, will now serve a life term, by order of Governor Clarke.

John Erstwiler, road foreman on the Detroit and Milwaukee railroad, was found dead on the track. It is presumed he was murdered and the body placed on the rails to divert suspicion.

At Massillon, Ohio, Jesse Wilson, a boatman, cut the throat of his bride of three weeks. He escaped, but was captured later. He came from Mansfield and married Ella G. Lloyd of Canton. The woman cannot recover.

Lying upon his death bed at Decatur, Mich., with only a few hours of life in prospect, Simon Barrett hastened the end by shooting himself through the head during the absence of the attendants.

A number of deputy sheriffs are still in pursuit of the outlaws who held up and robbed the stage near Lacle, Oklahoma. It is stated that two of the registered letters chosen were very valuable.

The general store of Wilbur M. Auerer at Wakarusa, Ind., was robbed. Some money and many articles of clothing, boots and shoes, were carried away. An unsuccessful attempt was made to blow off the door of the safe.

In a fight at William Hays' park, north of Caseyville, Ind., young Hays stabbed his father, Alexander Jenkins, and Benjamin Moore and made his escape.

Joe Rowe and Elmer Kemp of Brown Point, Ind., two schoolmates and fast chums, became involved in a quarrel over some trivial subject and young Rowe struck the Kemp dead a vicious blow, breaking one of his ribs and otherwise seriously injuring him.

Near Richmond, Tenn., a farmer named Haley shot and killed his wife, then shot himself, and finally cut his own throat.

William Croft is lodged in jail at Jasper, Ind., charged with the killing of August Streigler at a dance near Schnellville last week.

Sol Rhodes and Jeff Gladden, who were under sentence for riot, escaped from the jail at Lincoln, Ill.

United States Senator George G. Vest's summer residence at Sweet Springs, Mo., was broken into and a silver tea service stolen.

## POLITICAL NOTES.

A McKinley club of about 100 members has been organized at Kendallville, Ind. Mayor James Graves was elected president.

The democratic county central committee met at Marshall, Ill., and fixed the date for the county convention to nominate a county ticket on Aug. 22.

A free silver club was organized at Benton, Ill., with 100 charter members. Thomas J. Meyers was elected president, George Hickman secretary and R. A. Youngblood treasurer.

The populist senatorial committee met at Mount Vernon, Ill., and called the populist senatorial convention, to meet in that city Aug. 10. The populists will put out a full senatorial ticket and a straight county ticket in all the counties of the district.

The gold standard democrats of Louisiana, after carefully canvassing the situation, have decided not to fight Bryan this fall. The condition of politics in the state is in such a condition, they say, that all factions of the democracy will have to stand together to carry it.

Congressman Charles Towne of Duluth, the republican free silver advocate who bolted the republican platform became one of the vice-presidents of the free silver convention at St. Louis and who endorsed the candidacy of Bryan for president, spoke to a large crowd at Lansing, Mich. Jay P. Lee, a republican, presided at the meeting, but the audience was composed largely of democrats and populists.

At the county prohibition convention, held at Goshen, Ind., a three hours' discussion of the currency question resulted in a bolt on the part of the free silver element in the party. They left the regular organization and will hold a convention at Elkhart in two weeks, when a full county ticket will be nominated. This will make two county prohibition tickets in the field.

Mr. Bryan has announced that the date for the official notification of the democratic nomination has been finally settled. He will leave Lincoln Aug. 8 or 9, and he will meet the notification committee with Mr. Sewall in Madison Square garden, New York, Aug. 12.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Over 500 persons attended the Sunday school picnic at the Epworth resort, Ludington, Mich. The address of the day was delivered by ex-Congressman Allen of Ypsilanti, Mich.

A suit for \$5,000 damages has been commenced against the city of Canton, Ill., by Mrs. Sophia Dewey, who sustained injuries by falling on a defective walk.

A party of Iowa capitalists has bought the plant of the Kansas City Steel and Iron works at Argentine, Mo. The works will be enlarged and steel will be manufactured under a new process.

Argos, Ind., has enacted the curfew law, and placed a license fee of \$300 on retailers of cigarettes.

Miss Alma Widmeyer of Virginia, Ill., won the Demorest medal at the contest held there under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. of Cass county.

Harrison Simpson, candidate for sheriff at Anderson, Ind., filed suit against Ernest O. Flinders, a wealthy bachelor, for \$10,000 for alienation of his wife's affections.

Non-union shoemakers employed by Thomas E. Plant & Co. at Lynn, Mass., were assaulted by the striking employees, and aid was obtained from the police. Armenians are being employed.

Seven bodies of the twenty-nine persons known to have been drowned in the Cedar Creek and Bear Creek canons, Colorado, in the cloudburst of last Friday are yet unrecovered, but a large force is at work in the ruins of the cabins inundated.

## LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

### CHICAGO.

Cattle—Com. to prime, \$1.25 @ 1.35  
Hogs—All grades, 2.65 @ 2.75  
Sheep and lambs, 1.75 @ 1.90  
Wheat—No. 2, .58 @ .57  
Corn—July, .26 1/2  
Oats—July, .18  
Rye—No. 2, .36 @ .37  
Eggs, .10  
New Potatoes, .80 @ 1.00  
Butter, .07 1/2 @ 1.11

### ST. LOUIS.

Cattle—All grades, 1.75 @ 1.75  
Hogs, 3.20 @ 3.40  
Sheep and lambs, 3.00 @ 3.40  
Wheat—No. 2 red, .57 1/2  
Corn—Cash, .27 1/2  
Oats—Cash, .16 1/2

### KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—All grades, 1.25 @ 1.20  
Hogs—All grades, 2.65 @ 2.20  
Sheep and lambs, 3.00 @ 2.10

### TOLEDO.

Wheat—No. 2, .59  
Corn—No. 2, .27 1/2  
Oats—No. 2, .17  
Rye—No. 2, .31  
Clover Seed—Cash, 4.50

### PEORIA.

Rye—No. 2, .40 @ .41  
Corn—No. 3, .23  
Oats—No. 2, .19 1/2

### NEW YORK.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, .60 1/2  
Corn—No. 2, .32 1/2  
Oats—No. 2, .22 1/2  
Butter, .08 1/2 @ .15

Etta Robbins, a young woman about 25 years of age, by means of an ax killed A. J. Call, 24 years old at Huntington, W. Va. She also wounded beyond recovery the remaining members of the family, Little, 18 years of age; Grace, aged 11, and Otis, aged 13.

The section of Iowa around Eldora has just been visited by the army worm, and the farmers are very fearful of the danger to their oats. Oats are so badly rusted they are not one-third of a crop, and corn, although now doing well, is being eaten by the worms.

## STORM IN MICHIGAN.

### MUCH DAMAGE DONE BY WIND AND RAIN.

Town of Homer Suffers Severely—Many Narrow Escapes—Death List from the Colorado Cloudburst—Severe Forest Fires in Wisconsin.

A terrible wind storm struck the village of Homer, Michigan, on Monday evening. Roofs were lifted, houses partly blown away, barns tipped over and over half of the fine maple trees about the town were blown over. The worst part of the cyclone seemed to have passed a little to the northwest of the town, and many of the finest farmhouses in this vicinity lay in its path. There were several narrow escapes of persons caught out in the storm, but as yet no one is reported as injured.

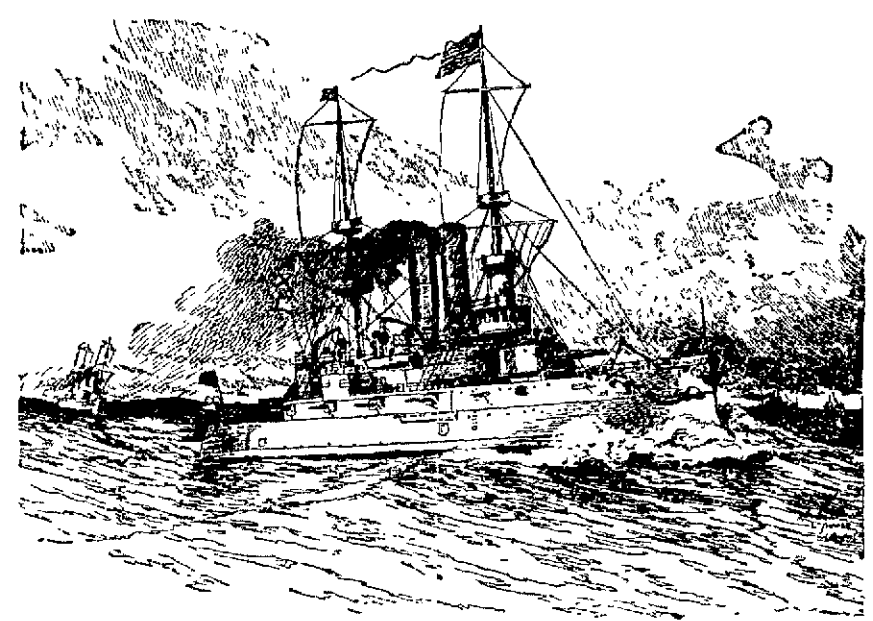
### FULL LIST OF DEAD.

Names of Those Lost in the Cloudburst in Colorado.

So far as can be at present ascertained the following is a full list of the persons whose lives were lost in the great floods that swept down Bear creek canyon upon the towns of Morrison and Golden in the foot-hills near Denver, Colo., Friday night.

Dead at Morrison: Mrs. Moses Miller and three children of Morrison, Mrs. S. A. Proctor, Robert James Proctor, Grace Proctor, Edith Proctor, Mrs. T. F. Casey, James Casey, Edith Casey.

## THREE MORE MONSTER WARSHIPS FOR UNCLE SAM'S NAVY



HOW THEY WILL LOOK AT SEA.

Three new battle ships are to be added soon to Uncle Sam's navy. It is impossible to say now just what their names will be, and until they shall have been christened they will be known as No. 7, No. 8, and No. 9. In their general lines these three monsters of the seas will be very much the same. Each will cost about the same sum—the limit of the appropriation for the trio is \$3,750,000—and their elements may be described thus: Length on water line, 363 feet; beam, 72 feet 2 1/2 inches; normal displacement, 11,525 tons; mean draught, 23 feet 6 inches; speed, 16 knots; coal supply, 800 tons, and total bunker capacity, 1,200 tons. The main batteries of each ship will consist of four thirteen-inch breech-loading rifles and fourteen six-inch rapid firing guns. The secondary batteries will consist of sixteen six-pounder rapid fire guns, four one-pounder rapid fire guns, four machine guns and one field gun. Four above-water torpedo tubes, two on each broadside, which will fire through an arc of 60 degrees, will be a formidable addition to the fighting qualities of these boats. One advantage the new ships will have over most men-of-war will be in their lightness of draught. English ships of this size draw 23 feet when heavily laden. The new American ships will draw but 25 feet when carrying their maximum coal supply—less than the draught of many large steamers in the merchant service. The

big guns to be used in these ships are no toys. Forty feet long and 4 feet in diameter at their thickest part, they will fire a shell of tempered steel 1,100 pounds in weight, impelled by 550 pounds of powder. Leaving the mouth of the gun with a velocity of 2,100 feet a second, such a projectile will penetrate 23 inches of steel 1,500 yards distant. The muzzle energy of these guns is 33,627 tons, which is the equivalent of a force capable of raising the entire ship three feet in one minute. The range of the shot from one of these guns is twelve miles or more. These ships will be protected from the shot of the enemy in every conceivable way. A belt of Harveized steel 16 1/2 inches in thickness at its maximum will protect the water line. Within this box of strong steel and below many feet of coal will be stationed two sets of triple-expansion engines, one on each shaft, in separate compartments. A complete belt of corn pith cellulose will be worked in from stem to stern to further protect the sides of the ship. To add to the safety given the craft by its water-tight compartments each ship will have a double bottom reaching from the keel up to the lower edge of the water line, honeycombed with minute subdivisions. The ship will be lighted by electricity and ventilated by natural and fan draught. Each of these boats will store sufficient coal for a voyage across, with enough left for 1,000 miles.

Mamie Casey, Annie Casey, Clara Casey, Mrs. Anthony Herres, Eugene Herres, Mabel Herres, Josephine Herres, Carroll Herres, all of Denver; Thomas McGough, Dayton, O.; Anna Hansen, child of J. C. Longnecker.

### Senator Pettigrew Resigns.

Washington special. Senator Pettigrew of South Dakota, who followed Senator Teller in his bolt from the Republican national convention at St. Louis, has resigned as a member of the Republican congressional committee. The vacancy has not yet been filled.

It is said that when the Democratic national committee opens headquarters, a few days hence, one of the first subjects to be taken up will be the attitude of certain men toward the national platform and ticket, who, having been nominated as presidential electors on the Democratic ticket prior to the Chicago convention, have since that time repudiated both the platform and the ticket, and are publicly credited with the intention to vote for McKinley.

### To Open Campaign in Illinois.

Chicago special: The republican campaign in Illinois will be opened Sept. 5, in this city, with Senator Joseph B. Foraker, Senator John M. Thurston, and in all probability Governors Bushnell and Hastings.

Senator J. C. Burrows opened the campaign for the republicans at Albion, Mich. He planted himself squarely on the St. Louis platform, and the large audience was with him. Gold sentiment is plentiful and bolters few.

## FOR THE CAMPAIGN.

### Republican Speakers Getting Their Program Ready to Begin.

At Omaha, Neb., Monday, Senator Thurston made official announcement of the itinerary of Roosevelt G. Horr of Michigan, so far as it concerns the Nebraska campaign. He will speak at Lincoln Aug. 5 at the meeting of the Republican state league and at five other points in Nebraska.

Following Horr, Senator Thurston says, Senator Burrows of Michigan, Senator Foraker of Ohio, W. E. Mason of Chicago and Benjamin Butterworth of Cincinnati will each probably make several speeches in this state, at dates to be fixed later.

Mr. Thurston will make a political address at the Chautauqua at Madison, Wis., July 31, and will open the campaign in Wisconsin at Milwaukee Aug. 5 at the meeting of the Republican state convention. The latter part of August he will go to Vermont, where he is billed for two speeches. He will make one each in Maine, Boston, New York city, Baltimore, in West Virginia, two to four each in Ohio, Indiana, Michigan and Illinois. During the last weeks of the campaign he will give his whole attention to Nebraska.

### SILVER ANSWERS GOLD.

Wisconsin Democrats Reply to Mr. Vilas' Letter.

The silver delegates from Wisconsin to the national democratic convention on Monday gave out their address to the public, replying to the letter published by the gold delegates, headed by Vilas and Bragg. The point

## FRIGHTFUL DISASTER

### ONE HUNDRED PERSONS KILLED OR INJURED.

Express on the Reading Railroad Near Atlantic City, N. J. Crashes Through a Crowded Pennsylvania Excursion Train—The Known Dead.

A railroad accident occurred Thursday night just outside of Atlantic City, N. J. Forty-one persons are dead, and the list of the wounded numbers fifty-six.

The Reading railroad express, which left Philadelphia at 5:40 o'clock in the afternoon for Atlantic City crashed into a Pennsylvania Central excursion train at the second signal tower, about four miles out from here. The Pennsylvania train was returning to Bridgeport with a party of 500 excursionists from that place, Millville and neighboring towns.

At the second signal tower the tracks of the two roads diagonally cross. The Reading track was given the signal, but the switch either failed to work or the speed of the express was too great to be checked in time. It caught the excursion train broadside and plowed through, literally cleaving it in two. The engine of the Reading train was shattered to pieces.

As soon as the news reached Atlantic City the utmost consternation prevailed. Relief trains were dispatched to the scene, loaded with cots and a force of surgeons. As quick as the bodies were recovered they were carried into the local hospitals. A general firealarm was sounded, and the department promptly responded aiding in the work of digging for the victims.

The first Reading relief train bore into the city twenty-seven mangled corpses—men, women and children.

The next train, not an hour later, carried fifteen of the maimed and wounded, and two of these died soon after reaching the city. As train after train ran to the scene of the wreck and came back with the wounded, the sanitarium, which serves as the city hospital, quickly found its capacity overtaxed. Meanwhile others of the dead and injured were being carried to the private hospital at Ocean and Pacific avenues.

Edward Farr, engineer on the Reading train, was killed outright, as was another railroad man who rode on the engine with him. This man, whose name has not yet been learned, saw the collision coming, and leaped from the cab an instant before the crash. Almost at the same instant the engine cut its way through, and caught him directly in its path. His body and that of Farr were found under a heap of debris, but the engineer lay in what remained of the cab, and his right hand still clasped the throttle. The fireman on the train had leaped a few seconds before, and escaped with trifling injuries.

Mrs. Edward Farr, wife of the Reading engineer who was killed, when informed of her husband's tragic end, threw up her hands with a frantic shriek and fell dead at the feet of her informant.

William Thurlow, telegraph operator in the tower house, was arrested and is held, pending an inquiry. It is said that the Reading signal was displayed and that the whistle of the train was sounded. The Reading had the right of way at the crossing.

The excursion train bore five tribes of the Order of Red Men—the Bridgeport, the Niagara, the Iowa, the Ahwah-tenah and the Cobansick—with their wives and children.

### HOUSE SWEEPED AWAY.

Eight Miners Die in Their Homes at Cecil, Pa.

Eight persons were drowned in the flood at Pittsburgh Monday night. Several of them met death at Cecil, a mining and oil hamlet in Washington county, the eight victims going down at Carnegie. The dead:

MRS. SAMUEL M'KINNEY, 50 years old.

MARGARET M'KINNEY, 30 years old; daughter.

JAMES M'KINNEY, 8 years old, son.

CLYDE BEATTY, 21 years old, oil well pumper of Sistersville, W. Va.

G. C. HIGGINS, 45 years old, oil well pumper of Bradford, Pa.

VINCENT WILKINSON, 25 years old, oil well employee of Fowlerville, Forest county, Pa.

JENNIE HOLMES, 18 years old, daughter of a Cecil coal miner.

JOHN WRIGHT (colored), 17, employee of a livaryman at Carnegie.

### STABBED TO THE HEART.

President State Board of Pharmacy slain.

I. N. Coffee, president of the Illinois state board of pharmacy, was stabbed and almost instantly killed at 12 o'clock Sunday while on his way to take a train for Springfield to attend a meeting of the board. Dr. Crabtree wielded the knife. The deed occurred in front of the latter's drug-store. Crabtree is in jail. Coffee was stabbed twice with a dagger. One thrust reached the heart. Both men were prominent druggists. The coroner's jury held Crabtree for murder.

### German Cruiser Lost.

Chee Foo, China, dispatch: German third-class cruiser Itlis was lost in a typhoon on July 23, ten miles northward of the Shan Tung promontory, which is about seventy-five miles southeast of here. Ten of the men were saved. All of the others, including the officers, perished.

The "Democratic Honest Money League of America" was formed Friday at New York. This organization is the outgrowth of several meetings of democratic business men which have been held there.



# POPULIST NATIONAL PLATFORM.

FOR PRESIDENT.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT.



W. J. BRYAN, OF NEBRASKA.



THOMAS WATSON OF GEORGIA.

The people's party, assembled in national convention, reaffirms its allegiance to the principles declared by the founders of the republic and also to the fundamental principles of just government, as enunciated in the platform of the party in 1892, but recognizes that through the action of the present and preceding administrations the country has reached a crisis in its national life, as predicted in our platform four years ago, and at present prompt and patriotic action is the supreme duty of the hour. To realize that while we have political independence our financial and industrial independence is yet to be attained by restoring to the peoples' government the constitutional control and exercise of the functions necessary to that end, which functions have been basely surrendered by our public servants to corporate monopolies. The influence of European money-changers has been more potent in shaping legislation than the voice of the American people. Executive power and patronage have been used to corrupt our legislatures and defeat the will of the people, and plutocracy has thereby been enthroned upon the ruins of democracy. To restore the government of the fathers and for the welfare and prosperity of this and future generations, we demand the establishment of our economic and financial systems, which shall make us masters of our own affairs and independent of European control, by the adoption of the following declaration of principles:

1. We demand a national currency, safe and sound, and issued by the general government only, a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and without the use of banking corporations; an honest, equitable and efficient means of distribution direct to the people, and through the lawful disbursements of the government.
2. We demand the free and unrestricted coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1 by the United States without waiting for the consent of foreign nations.
3. We demand that the volume of circulating medium be speedily increased to an amount sufficient to meet the demands of the business and population of this country, and to restore the just level of prices of labor and production, and thereby establish prosperity and happiness for the people.
4. We denounce the sale of bonds and the increase of the public interest bearing debt made by the present administration as unnecessary and without authority of law, and we demand a law absolutely prohibiting the sale of bonds and increase of the public debt, except in accordance with an act or acts of congress authorizing the same.
5. We demand such legislation as will prevent the demonetization of the lawful money of the United States by private contract.
6. We demand that the government in payment of its obligations shall use its option as to the kind of lawful money in which they are to be paid, and we denounce the present and preceding administrations for surrendering this option to the holders of government obligations.
7. We demand a graduated income tax to the end that aggregated wealth shall bear its just proportion of taxation, and we denounce the recent decision of the supreme court in regard to the income-tax as a misinterpretation of the constitution and an invasion of the rightful powers of congress over the subject of taxation.
8. We demand that postal savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the savings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

A true policy demands that the national and state legislation shall be such as will ultimately enable every prudent and industrious man to own a home, and therefore the land should not be monopolized for speculative purposes. All agricultural and grazing lands now held by railroad corporations in excess of their actual need should by lawful means be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only, and private land monopoly should be prevented by appropriate state and national legislation.

The Pacific railroad companies have, through the connivance of the interior department, robbed multitudes of actual and bona fide settlers of their homes and minors of their claims, and we demand legislation by congress which will enforce the exception of mineral land from such grants after, as well as before, patent.

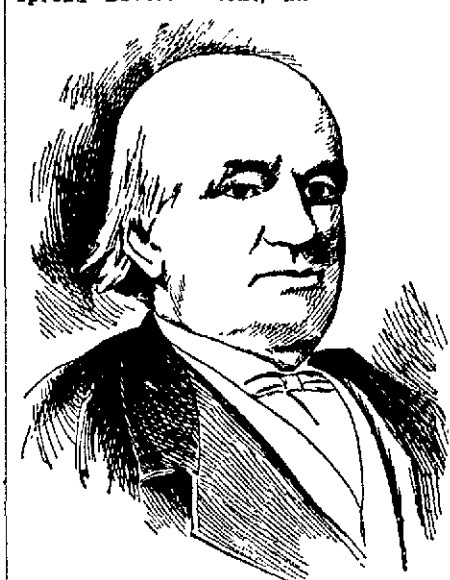
We hold that all governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed, and in order that the consent of the governed may be clearly ascertained we favor direct legislation under proper constitutional safeguards so that a given percentage of the citizens shall have a right of initiating, framing and preparing laws and of compelling the submission thereof, and of all important laws, whether proposed by national, state or local legislatures, to a direct vote of the people for their approval or rejection.

Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the government should own and operate the railroads in the interest of the people; to the end that all men may be accorded the same treatment in transportation, and that the tyranny and political power now exercised by the great corporations, which result in the impairment, if not the destruction, of the political right and personal liberty of the citizen, may be destroyed. Such ownership is to be accomplished gradually, in a manner consistent with sound public policy.

## A FAMOUS EDUCATOR.

The Death of M. Heger Removes an Eminent Brussels Instructor.

Brussels was recently called upon to mourn the death of one of its most famous and oldest educators, M. Constantin Heger. But it was not only from his great success as a teacher that M. Heger is known, but as the original of Charlotte Bronte's Paul Emanuel in her "Villette." It was to his school that the plain little English girl was sent, and the two years of life there gave her marvelous knowledge of the language and literature of the French. At the end of the two years, however, M. Heger's wife refused to keep longer the daughter of the simple English clergyman and the Belgian critics insist that her bitter caricature of the good Frenchman's seminary is a work of spite, in retaliation for her banishment from the place which she had grown to value to such a degree. Notwithstanding Currer Bell's merciless exposition of the school, its high reputation in its own city, kept it unharmed by the widely-spread advertisement, and when the



M. HEGER.

devoted old teacher died a few weeks ago at the age of 87 mourning in his own city was most sincere.

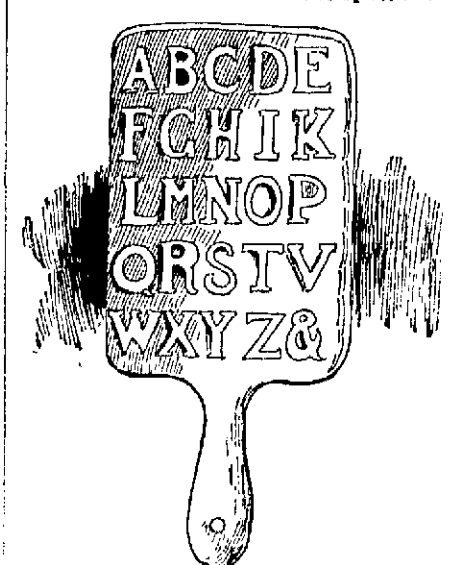
### The Duration of Life.

Between ephemerals, that live but a few hours, and animals that are known to have lived three and four hundred years, there is a long list of creatures of varying ages. It is supposed, although this is but guesswork, that whales may live a thousand years. There is excellent evidence that they live a number of centuries. Some birds and fishes live a long time. Some naturalists say that a creature should live seven times the number of years that it takes to arrive at full maturity. Birds, according to their size, live longer than almost any of the living things with which we are familiar. Crows are said to live over a hundred years. An eagle is known to have been alive at the age of one hundred and three. The parrot, the goose and some other birds have lived a century, and a naturalist had the skeleton of a swan that had died at the age of three hundred and seven years. Fish are long-lived. Sharks, sturgeons, dolphins and pikes live a hundred years, and the carp has reached the age of a hundred and fifty years.

### History of the A. B. C.

The horn book, which was the first alphabet card, is described by a recent author as "a board of oak about nine inches long and five or six wide, on which was printed the alphabet, the nine digits and sometimes the Lord's prayer. It had a handle and was covered in front with a sheath of thin horn to prevent its being soiled, and the backboard was ornamented with a rude sketch of St. George and the Dragon." This board and its horn cover were held together by a narrow frame or border of brass.

The oldest horn books were undoubtedly frequently used in the schools and common rooms of the great monasteries. In the earliest specimens



### AN OLD HORN BOOK.

The letters are arranged in the form of a Latin cross, with the A at the top and Z at the bottom.

### Care of the Head.

While most people admit there is nothing better for the scalp than a thorough brushing of the hair morning and night, many will not persist in this, and are constantly asking what will make the hair come in when it is fast coming out. Many of the best hair-dressers and barbers are recommending rubbing pure grease in very thoroughly every night, or every other night. In several instances this has proved very effectual, and a new growth of short and strong hair all over the head has been the result.

Many children and some of an older growth are severely troubled with dandruff in the scalp, which always makes the head and hair look dirty. This can be removed by rubbing pure grease in every other night, and in the morning following wash thoroughly with soap.

**Down on Him.**

Young Mr. Cumpaugh, who has one of the cunningest little cream-colored mustaches in the world, so faint and modest that he has to color it in order to establish its identity, called again last evening.

"I've just been dying to see you, Maud," he gushed, soon as he got his cane through the parlor door.

Maud looked him over with a critically unfavorable eye.

"I see you have," she said coldly; "there's a lot of it come off on your chin!"

And young Mr. Cumpaugh was so abashed that he didn't know what to say. But that wasn't anything unusual.—New York Recorder.

**Homesakers' Excursions South.**

On several dates during August, September and October, the Chicago & Eastern Illinois R. R. will sell first class round trip tickets, good 31 days from date of sale, for one fare plus \$2 for the round trip, to all points in Florida and the South. Trains, trains, time, all the best. For further information address C. W. Humphrey, N. P. A., St. Paul, Minn. City Ticket Office, 182 Clark street, or C. L. Stone, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

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**Bostonese.**

"And I understand," said the visitor to the prisoner, "that you have made several attempts to escape."

"Yes," sighed the former resident of Boston. "I'm somewhat dissatisfied with my environments."—New York World.

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Mrs. Peck—Every day witnesses some new evidence of woman's advancement towards complete emancipation. Henry Peck (with surprising sarcasm)—Yes, the newspapers to-day record the first purchase of a gold brick by a woman.

## BACKACHE.

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# BASEBALL MATTERS.

## INTERESTING GOSSIP AND COMMENT OF NATIONAL GAME.

A New Organization Said to Be in Course of Construction for Next Year—Rusie Wants More Trouble—Robinson on Tibau.

HE confidential adviser and champion of the New York club, Mr. O. P. Caylor, claims to have unearthed another "conspiracy against the life of organized baseball," as he graphically calls it in the New York Herald.

aid. Here is the story told by the rather excitable, suspicious and too credulous New Yorker:

"Conspirators headed by several of the leaders of the lost brotherhood cause have been, and are now, eagerly working in efforts to organize an eight club base ball association in opposition to the National League. They will deny it, of course, just as they denied the Players' league plot when it was prematurely exposed in the fall of 1889. But that plans for another base ball revolution have been laid and discussed there is not the shadow of a doubt.

"I may go so far as to say that 'Al' Johnson, known as the 'Brotherhood Orphan,' is expected to look to the Brooklyn corner of the new concern. It will be remembered that this trolley car magnate said last winter that he controlled a ground in the neighborhood of the old base ball field at Washington park, which would make a site for a club home far superior to Eastern park.

"The new conspirators have an idea that success this time is made possible on account of the supposed dissatisfaction which exists among the minor leagues with their treatment under the new National agreement. They hope to have the co-operation of the Eastern, New England, Western and Southern leagues in a fight against the National league. Pretty much the same tactics are already being used which marked the initiatory work of organizing the Players' league. It will be remembered that copies of scores of National league telegrams found their way into the hands of the Brotherhood clubs in the winter of 1889-90. That 'leak' is again in operation."

Further deponent sayeth not. The question now is whether there is anything in Mr. Caylor's alarming tale or whether that gentleman has been again seeing spooks. Our own impression is that the Don Quixote of base ball is once more engaged in a battle with a wind-mill.

### A Star Second Baseman.

Asa Stewart, the clever second baseman of the Indianapolis team of the Western league, was born at Terre Haute, Ind., in 1869, and learned to play ball at his native place. His first professional engagement was with the Terre Haute team in 1889. In 1890 he was with the Anderson team of the Indiana State league, and his excellent all-around work materially aided his club in winning the pennant of its league that year. In 1891 he began the season with the Orono club of the Wisconsin league, but finished it with the Fond du Lac team of the same league, taking part that year in eighty-three of the ninety championship games played, in fifty-seven of which he played second base, and in the other twenty-six he filled various other positions on the nine. In 1892 he was with the Oshkosh club of the Wisconsin league. In 1893 he was connected with the Eastern team of the Pennsylvania State league. In 1894 he was a member of the Sioux City team, who won the championship of the Western league, that year taking part in one hundred and twenty-three championship games, in all except one of which he played second base. His excellent work that season attracted the attention of the officials of the Chicago club of the National league and American association, and he was drafted by that club for the season of 1895, taking part that year with the Chicago in ninety-



seven championship contests, in all of which he played second base. This year, the club having a surplus of players on its pay rolls, Stewart was among a number of players that were released early in the season, and was immediately signed by the Indianapolis club of the Western league, and he has been doing exceedingly well ever since he joined the latter's team. Among some of the noteworthy batting and fielding performances he has been credited with thus far this season was the making of five safe hits, including one triple and four double baggers, in

a game with the Columbus team, May 9, at Indianapolis. In the first three games between the Columbus and Indianapolis teams at Columbus, May 4, 5, 6, he accepted all of twenty-five chances at second base.

### Rusie Wants Trouble.

Rusie said recently that he would do nothing further until he had heard officially from his attorney, John M. Ward. Rusie intimated, however, that he will bring civil suit against Freedman for the \$200 salary withheld, and claims to have a good case in court. The matter will be put in Ward's hands for collection. Rusie said, further, that under no circumstances would he play ball with the New York team, and he will quit the diamond rather than go to Freedman's employ again. Asked if he would go with any other team if Freedman sold his release, he said he would have to consider the matter. Under no consideration will he play with another team unless Freedman shall first pay to him the \$200 deducted from his salary in fines. Last spring Rusie was offered a position with an eastern sporting goods house as traveling salesman. He will accept that offer if nothing else presents itself.

### New York's Star Pitcher.

W. H. Clark, at present the star pitcher of the New York club, was born January 7, 1865, at Oswego, N. Y. His first professional engagement was



with a team that represented Norwich in the Central New York League in 1886, he beginning the season with that club, but finishing it with the Oswego team, of the International Association. In 1887 Clark began the season with Sandusky and finished with Des Moines. He began the season of 1888 with Chicago, but was soon released and signed with Omaha, with which he remained continuously until the end of 1891. In 1892 Clark was a member of the Toledo team, of the Western League. In 1893 he helped the Erie club, of the Eastern League, to win the championship by pitching in eighteen consecutive victories. In 1894 he joined the New York club, for whom he has played since.

### Robinson's Ire Is Up.

A Cleveland special of recent date says: President Robinson came to town in a rage over the firing of Tebeau by the League directors. Said he regarding the matter: "I am now preparing a statement in which I will make known a few facts that the magnates of the National League will dislike to see in print. I would like to know by what authority these men got together and fined one of my players \$200 without even notifying me that they were about to consider his case. What court in the land would attempt to hold trial on a man without notifying him and giving him a chance to defend himself? I will say to you now that Oliver Tebeau will not pay one dollar of that fine, that I will not pay one dollar of it, and that Tebeau will play in every game in which the Cleveland club plays this season. As far as the law business is concerned, I will give them all of that they want, too. If Dr. Stuckey, Mr. Jim Hart and the others have started out to purify base ball I will be with them. I will take a hand in the purifying business, too, and I will show up some of the 'rottenness' of the National League. They have injured the reputation of Tebeau, as well as that of the Cleveland club, to an irretrievable extent, and we are going to have satisfaction."

### Diamond Dust.

The Chicago and Cincinnati officials have given it out cold that they will mete out to the Cleveland the same dose as President Stuckey gave them upon the same provocation. They say they do not propose to "have the building-up work of years pulled down by a few players whom the league apparently dare not call down."

To Roger Connor has been given the herculean task of getting together for St. Louis a championship team for next season. Stirred by the success of Captain Ewing with a team that two years ago was traveling in the St. Louis stakes, Chris Von der Ahe has decided that Ewing's old side partner can do just as well with the Browns.

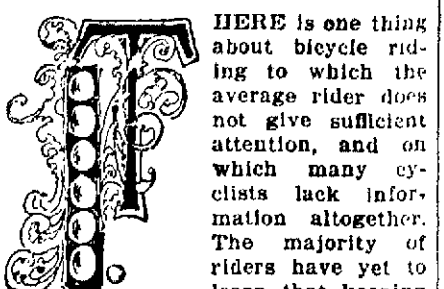
It is a fact that players of the McPhee order stars in their respective positions—never make errors on hard plays. They never fall down on plays of the kind on which ordinary players make their errors. It is on little simple plays of the kind on which one would not expect the very best amateur to make an error that these kings of the diamond trip up on.

While on the subject of the Cleveland rowdism at Louisville why don't some of the writers who abuse the Cleveland men take breath long enough to remember that perhaps if the Louisvilles had not resorted to the unsportsmanlike trick of deliberately playing for darkness there would have been no occasion for the subsequent row with Umpire Weldman.

# CARE OF THE WHEEL.

## ZIMMERMANN GIVES SOME TIMELY INSTRUCTIONS.

If Properly Looked After the Trouble Will Be Repaid—A Bicycle for Rainy Weather—Anatomy of the Wheel.



HERE is one thing about bicycle riding to which the average rider does not give sufficient attention, and on which many cyclists lack information altogether. The majority of riders have yet to learn that keeping a bicycle clean and in order is of equal importance with knowing how to ride. Some do not know what should be done with a bicycle at the end of a day's journey.

A bicycle requires as much care as any other piece of machinery—and more.

### Care Well Repaid.

The rider who takes good care of his wheel is well repaid for his trouble. At the end of the season he has a wheel that is really in better condition than when he started with it new in the spring. Barring a few scratches in the enamel, it is far superior in every respect to the new wheel.

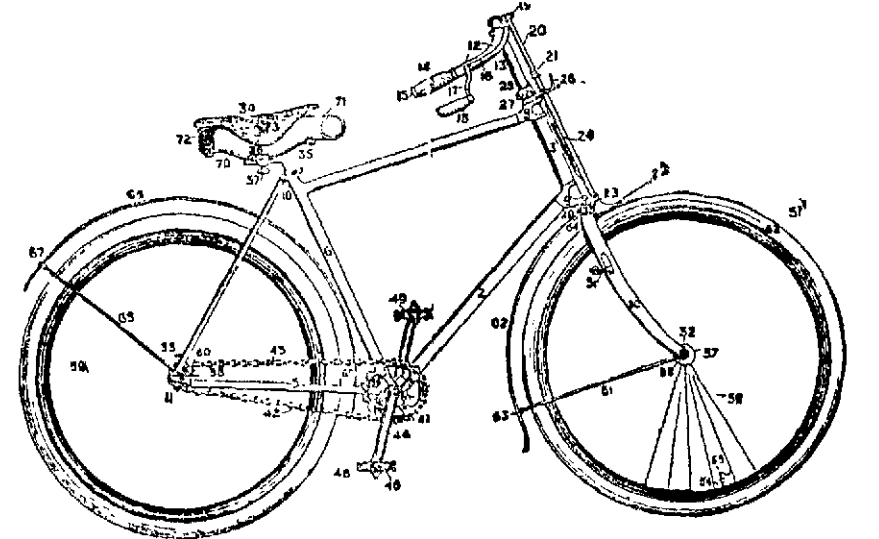
All that, of course, applies to the high-grade wheel made of first-class material. If one has a cheap wheel it doesn't make so much difference, because a cheap wheel is of no service at the end of the season, no matter how much care is taken of it. That, as well as anything else, illustrates the difference between a high-priced wheel and a cheap one. When the riding season is over the high-grade wheel is worth at least half of what was originally paid for it; the cheap wheel is worth nothing, because nobody wants it, and the machinery is played out completely.

In caring for a wheel one rule must be constantly observed and above all others. The machine must be kept clean and in a place where dampness cannot reach it. Not only does a clean wheel look better, but when clean there is little or no friction in any of the parts. Keeping it out of the dampness also prevents the formation of rust, and all the parts work easier and more freely when the wheel is kept dry. Take two wheels exactly alike, and keep one in a dry place and the other where it is damp—in a cellar, for instance. The difference in the running and appearance of them will be marked in a very short time. I have tried both and know.

### Cleaning the Wheel.

In cleaning the wheel, every bit of dust ought to be removed. Only soft cloths should be used, because anything else will scratch the enamel. The cloths should be oily—that is, just enough oil in them to make its presence apparent and so little of it that none can be detected on the parts that have been cleaned. For cleaning the nickel rider may suit his or her fancy. There are dozens of preparations made for the purpose, all of which are good.

Particular attention should be given to the chain and sprockets. We are not using gear cases here yet, and dirt accumulates in the chain very quickly;



ANATOMY OF THE WHEEL.

it causes considerable friction, and the friction is what we must avoid, so far as possible.

The quickest way to clean the chain thoroughly is to soak it in kerosene oil. Dirt, grease and all other accumulations will be removed almost immediately. Put the chain in a vessel and use enough oil to cover it. When it has soaked for awhile, take the chain out and complete the task by rinsing it through clean kerosene. Wipe dry and the chain is ready for use again, as good as when it was new.

### Oil the Best Lubricant.

Some riders, after cleaning the chain, warm it up and then apply vasoline or tallow. I do not believe that to be the better plan. I have made it a practice to lubricate the chain with regular bicycle oil, placing one drop of oil on each link, and working it in between the links. Don't use soap as a lubricant. It has been advocated by some, who ought to know better, as a good temporary lubricant. Experience has taught us, however, that it is far from satisfactory for the purpose.

When using oil or grease in any form about the wheel be careful to get none of it on the tires. Oil affects the rubber seriously. It will be well to remember also that tires work best when cool, and that the sun has almost as bad effect on them as oil. When riding one cannot help having the tires warmed up some, but when the wheel is not in use it should be kept in a cool place.

The bearings are another part of the

machine which need especial care. In all good wheels the bearings are in a dust-proof case, so they do not require attention so frequently as the chain and sprockets. If bearings are cleaned out one a month it will be sufficient. A little kerosene run through them will do the work thoroughly. When the oil has evaporated, a lubricating oil may be applied. A few drops of oil in the bearings is better than a gallon. There is little danger of getting too much, because the oil will work itself out. But that makes an oil-covered wheel, which is undesirable for many reasons, one of which is that it will ruin the appearance of a smart bicycle costume. Sprockets are very easily cleaned, and should be gone over with an oil rag. They do not need to be cleaned as frequently as the chain, which should be looked after once a week at least. When cleaning the bearings it will be well to see if they are properly adjusted. They should work with no outside play, yet loosely enough to run freely.

This description applies to an ordinary diamond frame wheel. There are many extra attachments, and different makers have different ways of putting a wheel together, so that they may differ in one or two minor details. The description given, however, is in the main correct. It includes mud-guards and their fittings, which are used but little here, but are on all wheels made in England. They are used generally on drop-frame wheels in this country.



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1. Upper main tube.
  2. Lower main tube.
  3. Front frame tube.
  4. Back stays.
  5. Back forks.
  6. Center stay.
  7. Crank bracket.
  8. Upper ball head race, or cup.
  9. Lower ball head race, or cup.
  10. Saddle post adjustment clip.
  11. Back fork end.
  12. Handle-bar.
  13. Handle-bar stem.
  14. Handle.
  15. Ferrule, or nickel tip.
  16. Brake lever.
  17. Brake lever handle.
  18. Brake plunger connecting bolt.
  19. Brake plunger.
  20. Brake shoe.
  21. Brake shackle, bolts and nuts.
  22. Brake spring.
  23. Handle-bar clip and ball head cone.
  24. Lamp bracket.
  25. Lock nut for handle-bar clip.
  26. Ball head adjusting nut.
  27. Front fork crown, with brake lug in front.
  28. Fork sides, right and left.
  29. Coasters.
  30. Fork ends.
  31. Step.
  32. Saddle post.
  33. Saddle clip.
  34. Set screw.
  35. Chain adjustment bolt.
  36. Crank axle.
  37. Detachable sprocket wheel.
  38. Sprocket bolts.
  39. Chain.
  40. Detachable link in chain.
  41. Crank.
  42. Cotter pin nut and washer for detachable crank on other side of machine.
  43. Pedal.
  44. Pedal pin.
  - 45.
  - 46.
  - 47.
  - 48.
  - 49.

# Lord Leighton's Tribute to Mrs. Brown.

The late Lord Leighton's first serious work in sculpture was the design for the marble sarcophagus with bas-relief portrait of Elizabeth Barrett Browning in the Campo Santo at Florence. This was in 1861, and the artist undertook the task because of his warm friendship for the dead poet and her husband.—New York World.

A GREAT INDUSTRY.—The Stark Bros' Nurseries, this city and Rockport, Ill., is a veritable beehive. The propagating plants of the "Two Pikes," enlarged "Old Pike's" salesmen work from New York, Westward. The office force is hurrying out 500 new style canvassing outfits, photo's of fruits, trees, orchards, packing, fruit painted from nature, etc. Several departments give all their time to securing salesmen. Stark Bros' have room for energetic solicitors. With such progress, and millions of fruit trees, dull times unknown.—[Louisiana, Missouri, Press.]

### A Man of Nerve.

I envy Dings when'er he sings,  
So much does he deserve;  
'Tis not his voice makes me rejoice—  
I envy him his nerve.  
—Emporium Echo.

Four professors of physiology in Switzerland have endorsed the view that alcoholic drinks are not in any way to be classed with foods.



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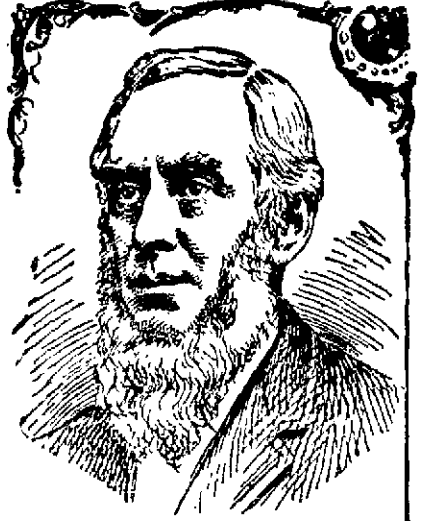
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Wednesday evening.

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oils or brushes, call upon Ira L. El-  
dredge, 812 Ellis street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Krembs and  
two little sons returned from their  
visit to the Waupaca lakes, Thursday.

—Krutza, the tailor, 424 Main  
street, second floor, has received his  
fall and winter goods and is ready to  
wait on customers.

—R. B. Finch is at Alexandria,  
Ind., this week, visiting with his  
sister, Mrs. E. R. Week, and while  
there will assist the local nine in a  
game of ball.

—A full line of lumber of all kinds,  
as well as timber, lath, shingles, etc.,  
can be found at the North Side Lum-  
ber Co. yard. They are making a spec-  
ialty of the retail trade.

—Geo. Potter secured a contract for  
erecting the new school building at  
Whiting, work upon which has been  
commenced, and it is to be completed  
by Sept. 19th. Miss Mary Catlin, of  
this city, has been engaged as teacher.

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or other points. Warranted to be  
equal in all respects.

—Prof. Swift returned to the city  
last week from his bicycle trip to the  
western part of Wisconsin. He spent  
several days camping with Leslie  
Everts, near Rice Lake, and the  
latter young man accompanied him  
part way on the homeward journey.

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Dr. John W. Hayes, general  
secretary of the Knights of Labor,  
know what is talking about, and he  
probably has that organization as  
practically under his thumb for Bryan  
and free silver. Speaking about this Mr.  
Hayes said: "I have known men as  
class are in favor of free coinage, and  
they will vote for it and elect Bryan.  
Labor organizations like the Knights  
of Labor will not as organizations  
participate in it. I am sure that the  
members in favor of free coinage, and in  
favor of Bryan, are not 95 per cent. of the  
Knights of Labor who vote for it."

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## CHINA'S STRONG MAN.

THE APPROACHING VISIT OF LI HUNG  
CHANG TO THIS COUNTRY.

Many Conflicting Stories Concerning the  
Chinese Statesman That Only Add to the  
Mystery and Interest Surrounding His  
Picturesque Personality

Li Hung Chang, the great Chinese  
statesman, soldier, millionaire and ex-  
Pooih Bah of the Flowery Kingdom is  
soon to visit the United States, and  
preparations are being made to give  
him a royal reception, or at least one  
that befits his rank and station.

Prince Li is undoubtedly the greatest  
Chinese alive. He would be a big man  
in any nation, for he has risen from the  
common people in a country where such  
an occurrence is almost a miracle. He  
comes to America after having visited  
all the important capitals in Europe,  
where he has been universally received  
with distinguished honors.

It has been said that Prince Li is no  
longer the great political figure in  
China that he was before the disastrous  
close of the Chinese-Japanese war. Some  
allege that he is a back number, no  
longer in the confidence of the emper-  
or, unpopular among the powerful  
men of the government, and that instead  
of being an honor his appointment as  
envoy to represent his royal master at  
the coronation of the czar was only a  
ruse to get him out of the way until his  
enemies could complete his undoing.

These statements seem somewhat  
probable; but, on the other hand, there  
are the European diplomats who treated  
him so cordially, and who assert that  
Li is just as big a gun as ever, and that  
when he returns to China it will be to  
resume his former high rank and im-  
portant offices.

It is entirely likely that Li Hung  
Chang is but little worried about his  
treatment abroad, for by this time he  
must have been winned and dined to his  
heart's content. In St. Petersburg, in  
Paris and in Berlin he has been the  
honored guest at elaborate banquets, at  
which, so it is rumored, he did not taste  
a morsel of food, but only sat and looked  
as pleasant as possible. The most inter-  
esting feature of his European tour was  
his visit to Bismarck. He chatted with  
the Iron Chancellor over the coffee cups  
at Friedrictshuh, and, in his artless  
Chinese way, asked the retired states-  
man to advise him as to the best way of  
managing an unruly emperor who didn't



LI HUNG CHANG.

know enough to go in when it rained.  
Bismarck, instead of being flattered at  
this appeal for advice, was very much  
embarrassed, as the conversation was  
being eagerly listened to by representa-  
tives of many newspapers. He got out  
of the predicament safely, however, by  
telling Li that, in his opinion, the will  
of a sovereign should not be opposed.  
Prince Li afterward made amends by  
liberally praising the German army, the  
kaiser and everything else German in  
the same manner that he had praised  
everything Russian while in St. Peters-  
burg and everything French while in  
Paris. This must not be taken as an evi-  
dence of dark duplicity on Li's part,  
for that was only his Chinese idea of  
courtesy. Americans familiar with the  
language of the Bowery might say that  
Li was just "jollifying him along."

Of course we expect that the ex-ec-  
utive will say nine things about America  
when he gets here. Some of them will  
be said in all earnestness, too, for he has  
more than once expressed his liking for  
Americans in a substantial manner. He  
treated General Grant most royally  
when the latter visited China during  
his tour around the world and made the  
Hon. John W. Foster one of his confi-  
dential advisers during the late war.

A committee of prominent men has  
already been organized to receive Prince  
Li when he lands at New York, and he  
will be entertained as long as he can be  
induced to stay there. It is probable,  
however, that he will go on to Wash-  
ington after a day or two. He will  
probably stop in Chicago, where there  
will be more banquets spread for him  
and he will be given a good send off  
when he sails for home from San Fran-  
cisco.

About the personal characteristics and  
habits of the distinguished Chinese the  
foreign correspondents seem to differ  
greatly. One says that he converses in  
English with little difficulty, and an-  
other says that he understands but does  
not attempt to speak our language. One  
writer asserts that Li has acquired a  
liking for some articles of occidental  
diet, while another declares that he eats  
nothing except that which is prepared  
for his table by his own native cooks.  
They all agree, however, that he is a  
tall, well preserved man about 73, who  
seems to enjoy life under all conditions  
and is very much interested in all kinds  
of western enterprises. When he gets  
here, our own newspapers will supply us  
with any amount of accurate detail  
about this most interesting visitor.

CLARENCE P. SKINNER.

## MANUFACTURE OF KEROSENE.

Brushed Into a Whirl, the Oil Becomes  
of Lighter Color.

How many housekeepers, as they fill  
their lamps with kerosene oil or their  
summer stoves with gasoline, have any  
idea how these oils are made? And yet a  
few miles from Chicago, at Whiting, Ind.,  
is the largest oil refinery in the world.  
Every one knows that in its crude state  
the oil comes out of the earth, but it would  
be an utterly useless discovery were it not  
for the brains and money used in the re-  
fining of the raw material. By the use of  
the brains and money, however, not only  
the clear oil, but several other products,  
are drawn from the crude material.

Naphtha, benzine, gasoline and kero-  
sene, the last often called coal or illumina-  
ting oil, belong to the same family.  
The three first named, being lighter oils,  
do not require nearly so much handling to  
bring them to perfection as the kerosene.  
This, of course, is easy to believe, but  
when it is said that from the same crude  
oil, after all the lighter oils have been dis-  
tilled out, wax is made so closely resem-  
bling the product of the bees as to deceive  
even an expert, and that it is used in  
chewing gum factories, candle factories,  
laundries and even in candy factories, one  
is often met with a polite look of doubt or  
an incredulous shrug of the shoulders.  
Yet it is so. It is possible to go yet fur-  
ther and say that hundreds of homes in  
Whiting and in Chicago have been made  
comfortable this winter by the refuse that  
adheres to the bottom and sides of the  
"stills" after even the wax has been  
pressed out. This refuse makes a good  
coke, is easily lighted and is warmer,  
cleaner and cheaper than coal. Hundreds  
of tons are removed from the stills daily  
before they are "charged" again, and hun-  
dreds of those who use this fuel do not  
know that it was once crude oil, dug in  
the Ohio fields and piped on to Whiting.  
The carbonaceous in electric lights is also  
made from this coke. Nothing is wasted.

As the most common the kerosene oil is  
perhaps the most interesting of the prod-  
ucts. After leaving the crude stills it ap-  
pears again in the "sweetening" stills, or  
in the "compound cylinders," which per-  
form the same work as the sweetening  
stills, but is a newer invention and is pa-  
tented by an outsider, who allows only 40  
in each refinery. The "sweeteners" form  
an important factory in the refining of  
Ohio oil. Owing to the "compound"  
before mentioned and the continuous fric-  
tion of the immense wire brushes which  
keep the oil in a mud whirl it loses much  
of its bad odor. It is again vapored off,  
cooled in the condenser boxes and passed  
off into the "steam stills" for the next  
process.

In the steam stills it is treated just the  
same as in the two previous processes, with  
the addition of a washing by steam from  
perforated pipes passing through it. It is  
"vapored" off as before, and now one  
would suppose that it was ready for use.  
Not quite. The kerosene oil now passes  
into the agitator for the final process. The  
agitator is a funnel shaped tank in which  
the oil is treated with acid and beaten and  
blown about by a machine called a blower  
and washed by torrents of water until it  
flows like the lake in a storm. Every par-  
ticle of foreign matter is thus expelled. It  
is then pumped off into the storage tanks  
for shipping.—Chicago Tribune.

### Stopped at the Lightning Rod.

In this state lives a man in whose nature  
penuriousness and piety struggled for years  
for the upper hand. It was a long, bitter  
conflict and one which the people of his  
community watched with interest, for the  
money which he was known to possess  
made him a great possibility for benefit to  
the congregation. At last his better feel-  
ings prevailed, and his townspeople were  
surprised and delighted with the an-  
nouncement that he was going to build a  
church. He kept his word handsomely.  
It was a modern, spacious structure, well  
furnished within and properly decorated  
without. He made out the papers convey-  
ing the title to the trustees and made the  
gift freely and with a good grace. On in-  
vestigation, however, the trustees found  
that a lightning rod had not been provided.  
They were convinced that such a precau-  
tion against accident should not be neglect-  
ed, and they decided to mention it to the  
donor.

"Ain't the church all right?" he asked  
as they came to his residence in a body.

"Yes. Everybody is delighted with it.  
There is only one slight criticism. It  
hasn't any lightning rod."

"Well, what of it?"

"We thought that in order to make your  
gift complete you might want to put a  
lightning rod on it."

"No, gentlemen," he said after a slight  
struggle. "I don't see it in the same light  
with you. I built that church, and I gave  
it to the Lord. If I were to go and put a  
lightning rod on it now, it would look  
like I was trying to interfere with what  
ain't any of my business whatever."—De-  
troit Free Press.

### Lawbook the Judge Found Useful.

Of the influence of a single book thor-  
oughly learned a distinguished Maine  
judge gives evidence. A lawyer engaged  
in the trial of a case came into the room  
where the judge was chatting with friends  
and began to search among the lawbooks.  
"What are you looking for?" queried  
the judge.

"I'm hunting for a decision relating to  
a parcel sale of grass," replied the attorney.

"You'll find that in the Thirtieth  
Maine, Cutler against Pope," said the  
judge.

"You seem to have that on your tongue's  
end," said the lawyer jokingly.

"When I was a boy," said the judge, "I  
had one lawbook that was my own, and  
but one. That was a copy of the Thir-  
teenth Maine report. I read that book  
over and over until I almost had it by  
heart. And I have never seen the time  
since in my practice and my work as a  
judge when that book was not a solid  
foundation under my feet. Its cases seem-  
ed to spread out and fit either directly or  
by analogy into thousands of questions  
I have had to pass upon. I had it so thor-  
oughly I could recall it when the doctrines  
of other books were not at all clear to me."  
—Lawton Journal.

### A Good Deal of Voltaire.

For over a century the "showman's"  
work has been a profitable one at the coun-  
try house of Voltaire at Ferney, near Gen-  
eva. A Genevese, an excellent calculator,  
as were all his countrymen in the early  
part of the present century, valued as fol-  
lows the yearly profit derived by the "show-  
man."

6,000 busts of Voltaire, made with earth  
of 10 cts. at a frame space of 100,000  
1,200 autograph letters, at 20 frames, at 24,000  
500 walking canes of Voltaire, at 50  
frames each, at 25,000  
500 valuable wigs of Voltaire, at 100  
frames each, at 50,000  
Total, at 100,000 frames, at 100,000  
—Temple Bar.

## A FIFTY-CENT DOLLAR.

Perhaps there is no more specious  
orividious argument invoked against  
the free coinage of silver than that  
which is made to induce the voter to  
believe that free coinage at the ratio  
of 16 to 1 would produce a 50-cent  
dollar, or a dishonest dollar. Those  
who advance this theory may be honest  
in their argument, but their logic  
is somewhat at fault. They assert  
that as the price of silver is only  
about 50 cents at present the amount  
of bullion contained in a dollar, under  
free coinage, would still remain at  
its old price. They lose sight of the  
fact that up to the time that silver  
was demonetized it was worth as  
much as gold, but that the demoniti-  
zation of it immediately denuded it  
of all value except as a commodity  
used only in the arts and a few minor  
nations as coins. The rehabilitation  
of silver would bring its value up to  
that of gold and make it pass current  
with gold at the established ratio.

"But," someone says, "that would  
enable the holders of silver to make  
an enormous profit on their stock of  
silver." Granted, what of it? Did  
anyone ever argue that it was dishon-  
est or injurious to the public for the  
farmer to get \$10.00 a ton for his hay  
instead of \$6.00? If the price of lum-  
ber advances \$1.00 per thousand do  
not all who live in the lumber region  
rejoice? To a certain degree the  
prosperity of one class adds to the  
prosperity of all. If silver is again  
placed on a free monetary footing  
with gold it will add much wealth to  
the country, increase business invest-  
ments, employ more labor, increase  
the consumer's ability to buy, and the  
debtor's ability to pay. The govern-  
ment would have no difficulty in  
maintaining the parity of the two  
metals for the logic of natural com-  
mercial laws would establish and  
maintain it.

The result of free coinage then, in-  
stead of giving us a 50-cent dollar, as  
the gold men claim, would give us an  
increased volume of full legal tender  
money, worth 100 cents on the dollar,  
and would so stimulate the diversified  
industries that increased wealth and  
prosperity would come to all. So  
complete a revolution would it make  
that four years hence no political  
party would dare to jeopardize its  
chances of success by declaring for  
the single gold standard.

No one, not even the silverites,  
wants a dishonest dollar or a 50-cent  
dollar, and the argument advanced  
by the self-styled "honest-money"  
men is as injurious to the public  
welfare as is illogical, in its con-  
clusions. If the price of silver, when  
clothed with full and free monetary  
value be advanced to that of gold at  
an established ratio as it will be, it  
will pass current among all nations  
the same as gold does at the present  
time. Thus, instead of waiting an  
indefinite period for the millennium  
which the gold men look for when  
the great European nations shall  
agree to adopt a bimetallic standard,  
we shall force them by the logic of  
events to follow our example.—Ex.

THE Sentinel, last Friday, devoted  
over a column to Mgr. Zeininger's  
views on the money question, and  
with glaring and numerous head lines  
announced that he was for gold. A  
few years ago when the Sentinel pub-  
lished the reverend gentleman's  
views in opposition to the Bennett  
law, a single line, bold face briefer  
heading was conspicuous enough to  
suit the management.

GOLD is not in actual circulation in  
the United States today. You can get  
it if you don't want it, but not other-  
wise, unless you are a banker who  
handles large sums of money and in  
doing so sifts out the legal tenders  
and sends them to the United States  
treasury. With the exception of this  
draining gold by the bankers from the  
treasury, gold would be just as much  
in circulation after the resumption of  
free silver coinage as it is now.—Mil-  
waukee News.

MONOMETALIST gold men are con-  
tinually drawing comparisons between  
this country and Mexico and directly  
and indirectly ascribe all differences  
in condition to the difference in mon-  
ey standard. How flattering this is to  
Americanism and American citizen-  
ship? Had Mexico our money and  
we theirs, we would be "greaters"  
and they would enjoy our plane of  
civilization. What an insult to  
American courage, American patri-  
otism, American energy and Ameri-  
can intelligence.—Oshkosh Times.

### Rich Discoveries of Gold

At Cripple Creek, Colo., and elsewhere,  
are being made daily, and the production  
for 1896 will be the largest ever known,  
estimated at Two Hundred Million Dol-  
lars. Cripple Creek alone is producing  
over One Million Dollars a month, and  
steadily increasing. Mining stocks are  
advancing in price more rapidly than  
any other stocks, and many pay divi-  
dends of 25 to 50 per cent. They offer  
the best opportunity to make a large  
profit on a small investment.

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represent, also their book on speculation  
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ville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New  
Discovery I owe my life. Was taken  
with La Grippe and tried all the physi-  
cians for miles about, but of no avail  
and was given up and told I could not  
live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery  
in my store I sent for a bottle and be-  
gan its use, and from the first dose be-  
gan to get better, and after using three  
bottles was up and about again. It is  
worth its weight in gold. We don't  
keep store or house without it." Get a  
free trial at H. D. McCulloch Co.'s  
drug store.

### Coal! Coal! Coal!!!

I am now prepared to take orders  
for coal for the coming season, the  
same to be delivered at any time  
after the 1st of August. The patron-  
age of the public is solicited. Come  
and see me before placing your or-  
ders. Now is the time to buy.  
A. G. GREEN.

## Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Institute and Examinations.  
A Teachers' Institute will be held  
at Amherst commencing July 27,  
1896, and continuing three weeks.  
The first two weeks' work will be con-  
ducted by Prof. A. H. Sanford, of the  
Stevens Point Normal School, and  
Prof. O. H. Day, of the Amherst High  
School. The closing week's work will  
be under the management of Prof.  
C. H. Sylvester. A large attendance  
of teachers is desired. The Teachers'  
examinations will be held at the fol-  
lowing times and places:  
Amherst, August 15th.  
Stevens Point, Aug. 17th and 18th.  
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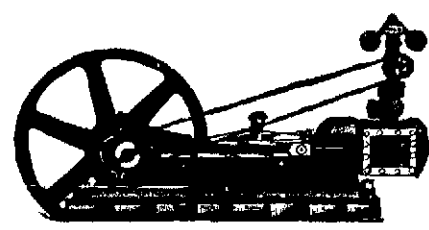
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HUMAN BAROMETERS.

Prevalent Among Those With Abnormally  
Sensitive Organizations—The New Dis-  
ease Is Traced to the Effects of Atmo-  
spheric Electricity.

There is a new disease, and as it is of a  
common, everyday, inexpensive sort we  
may all indulge in its imaginary sym-  
ptoms and pains, if we wish, to our hearts'  
content. Unlike that ultra fashionable dis-  
order, appendicitis, it is not an expensive  
malady, nor do we have to go to a hospital  
and have a surgical operation performed to  
be cured. The disease has been called  
astrophobia, and persons suffering from  
it are human barometers, so to speak.  
They prophesy the weather and can predict  
without error 24 hours before the ap-  
proach of a northeast storm. Before a  
rising thunder squall they are miserable  
beings. There are those indeed who are  
utterly prostrated before and during a  
thunderstorm, and some are even thrown  
into spasms.

It has long been known that insects and  
certain domestic animals become aware of  
approaching changes in the weather. They  
understand the heralds of coming storms,  
not from visual observation, but through  
their nervous system. Insects fly close to  
the ground before a storm, and birds fly  
low to catch them. Turkeys will sniff the  
air and seek cover long before a coming  
change in the atmosphere, and, indeed,  
make considerable fuss about it too. While  
this quality of premonition is general  
among the lower animals it does not with  
them reach the perfection attained by  
some afflicted human beings—those with  
abnormally sensitive organizations, deli-  
cate systems and nerves attuned to every  
physical impression.

It is to the presence of electricity in the  
atmosphere and its variable effects upon  
the nerves of these sensitive subjects that  
may be attributed their unenviable power  
of foretelling the weather and the disorder-  
ed state of their systems when storm con-  
ditions are present.

There abounds in the air what is known  
as atmospheric electricity, the existing po-  
larity of which, positive or negative, indi-  
cates respectively normal and abnormal  
weather conditions. It is when the air is  
charged with positive electricity that one  
feels "good," so to speak—that is, one ex-  
periences the bracing, stimulating effects  
of pure air charged with ozone.

The presence of negative electricity,  
however, has the contrary effect and shows  
one of two things, either that storm con-  
ditions are present or are approaching.

It is now well known that there are two  
regular tides of positive electricity in the  
atmosphere—the high, or maximum, which  
occurs between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12  
m. and 6 and 9 p. m., and the low, or mini-  
mum, between 2 and 5 p. m. and 1 and 5  
a. m.

There are those who almost every day  
pass through tides of feeling which, if  
they do not mathematically correspond to  
these daily tides of electricity in the air,  
follow so closely as to render certain a re-  
lation between the variable states of the  
system and the variable states of the air.

From 8 a. m. to 12 m. is the golden time  
for brain work, as all students know. From  
1 to 4 p. m. there are frequently a dullness  
and lassitude present that make hard work  
a task. The latter part of the afternoon  
the spirits revive, and between 4 and 8 or 9  
o'clock is what might be called the silver  
period of the day for all mental labor.

Irregular disturbances in the electrical  
condition of the atmosphere in storms,  
and especially in thunderstorms and  
northeast storms, affect the nervous sys-  
tem of these impressionable temperaments  
most unpleasantly, often bringing on or  
aggravating neuralgia, rheumatism and  
other pains, as well as inviting mental  
listlessness and discouragement.

Who of us, for that matter, even of the  
most robust cast, have not at times felt a  
sort of resonance in the atmosphere—a cer-  
tain "feel" in the air, which seemed to  
"take hold," so to speak, and that maybe  
in an unsuspected rheumatic joint, this  
when the wind was blowing lively from  
the northeast.

At one of the largest institutions in the  
country for the treatment of nervous dis-  
eases it has been established beyond all  
question and by experiments extending  
over a period of several years that attacks  
of epilepsy and mania correspond in a  
large number of instances to changes in  
the electrical condition of the air.

There is nothing strange in all this, for  
all naturalists know that many plants pre-  
dict storms with wonderful precision hours  
before they appear. Man, with his exalted  
and complete nervous system, and espe-  
cially civilized man, is far more impres-  
sible than any animal or flower.

It is therefore not humane to despise  
these subtle, storm anticipating pains in  
our friends, nor, indeed, may we ridicule  
the statement of a chance infirm weather  
prognosticator who may claim, and perhaps  
be able to prove, that "he knows it's goin'  
to rain, 'cause he can feel it in his 'jints.'"  
—Washington Star.

Sir David Salomons.

Sir David Salomons, an English writer  
on apparatus for electric light stations,  
has singularly varied scientific tastes. He  
is a member of geological, microscopical  
and astronomical societies and particularly  
prominent among civil and electrical en-  
gineers in Great Britain. Both in London  
and at his country seat, Broomhill, in  
Tunbridge Wells, he has splendidly equip-  
ped laboratories and machine shops, be-  
sides which, at the latter place of resi-  
dence, one may find a small theater, in  
which he gives magic lantern exhibitions to  
illustrate his scientific hobbies. A  
command of photography is another of his  
accomplishments. His experiments with  
high frequency electrical currents and with  
vacuum tubes have attracted a good deal  
of attention, and no one in Great Britain  
has such a large collection of horseshoe car-  
riages or is so intelligent an enthusiast in  
regard to such vehicles as Sir David.  
—New York Tribune.

Out of Ketter.

Edward Fitzgerald makes use of this  
expression in one of his letters to Mrs.  
Kemble (page 202 of collected edition, 1885)  
when he says "his eyes are more out of  
ketter than usual." The editor explains  
this phrase as meaning out of condition or  
order. A notice of this most charming of  
bedside books in The Atlantic Monthly  
for November, 1895, page 708, says that  
the phrase is common enough in New Eng-  
land, though there it would be spelled kil-  
ter.—Notes and Queries.

An authority on microscopy states that  
the hair of a woman can be distinguished  
by its constitution from that of a man.

The cost of an application for a British  
patent is \$50, which includes government  
tax and all expenses.

## MAJOR MCKINLEY OSBORNE.

Secretary of the Republican National Committee.

Of all the men on the Republican na-  
tional committee there is one in whom  
Major McKinley can repose implicit faith  
to look zealously after his interests. This  
is William McKinley Osborne, secretary of  
the committee. He is not only a cousin of



WILLIAM MCKINLEY OSBORNE,  
the Republican candidate, but he is a  
friend of his boyhood and an army com-  
rade.

Mr. Osborne's mother and the major's  
mother were sisters. The two boys went  
to school together at the old academy at  
Poland, O., and the warm friendship  
which was then built up still exists. They  
enlisted at the same time and went to the  
front in the same regiment. Osborne, who  
was a little older than McKinley and of a  
less hardy constitution, could not stand  
the hardships of the camp and field and  
fell a victim to typhoid fever. He was sent  
home, and on his recovery, although he re-  
turned to his regiment, was unable to  
make for himself the distinguished record  
which his cousin did.

At the close of the war he went to Ann  
Arbor, Mich., and took a course in the  
law school. Then he returned to Ohio and  
practiced law at Youngstown. He became  
active in politics there and was elected  
mayor in 1874. In 1880 he removed to  
Boston, which was the home of his wife's  
parents. Mrs. Osborne was formerly Miss  
Francis Clara Hastings. When Mr. Has-  
tings died, his widow and Mr. and Mrs.  
Osborne spent several years in Europe, and  
on their return Mr. Osborne settled per-  
manently in Boston.

He soon began to take an active interest  
in city politics and in 1885 was elected to  
the common council. He served with such  
success that he was appointed a year later  
as a member of the metropolitan police  
board. After serving for three years as  
Commissioner Osborne was reappointed by Gov-  
ernor Ames for a term of five years. After  
leaving the police board he continued to  
take an active part in municipal campaigns  
and was one of those who engineered the  
election of Mayor Hart.

Mr. Osborne is frequently called "Gen-  
eral," a title which he has vainly tried to  
get rid of. "I was a private," he declares,  
"and I am proud of it, because there are  
but a few of us left. I have never been a  
military officer of any kind." Yet the title  
has stuck to him, and more than half his  
friends still call him "General" Osborne,  
although he occasionally enters a weary  
protest. He is a quiet, unassuming man  
and is very popular with New England Re-  
publicans.

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ed by Miss A. M. Reynolds, the first  
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eling against time either, but merely on  
business connected with her office and  
spent much of that time in visiting as-  
sociation homes and in attending conven-  
tions.

Miss Reynolds is an American woman  
and the daughter of Rev. William Rey-



MISS A. M. REYNOLDS.

nolds of New Haven. Besides a thorough  
religious training she has been splendidly  
educated, having spent three years in Paris  
and Berlin studying languages after being  
graduated from Wellesley. She returned to  
this country an accomplished linguist, able  
to make addresses in French, German and  
Italian. Eight years ago she entered ac-  
tively into the work of the association as  
secretary of the Young Woman's Christian  
association in Brooklyn. She left there to  
become state secretary of the association in  
Iowa. Afterward she edited The Evangel,  
the association organ, and resigned this  
office to become world's secretary with a  
roving commission.

Miss Reynolds began her three years,  
term by going direct to the association  
headquarters in London. From there she  
went to Southampton and sailed direct to  
Cape Town. After visiting Johannesburg,  
where the association has a branch, she  
sailed for Tasmania, a 19 days' voyage  
over the southern sea. Her next jump  
was to New Zealand, and from there she  
went to Australia, where she visited the  
branches and inspected the work in Mel-  
bourne, Sydney, Adelaide and other large  
cities. From Melbourne she sailed back  
to Southampton, and after a brief stay in  
London, embarked for America.

Miss Reynolds stopped for only two  
hours in New York, and then started for  
Geneva, Wis., to attend a conference, only  
to hurry back to Northfield, Mass., to be  
present at a similar gathering. She is to  
spend August at Lake Placid in compar-  
ative quiet, but by September she will be  
traveling again. Miss Reynolds is a wom-  
an of fine physique and says that she  
rather enjoys the long journeys which she  
is compelled to take. It is fortunate for  
her that she does, for she has much more  
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for them, and three other members  
have intimated their intention to do  
the same. Secretary Smith has not  
only declared his intention to support  
the ticket, but he has said that if he  
can possibly arrange his time so as  
to be there he will accept the invita-  
tion which has been extended him to  
preside over a big Bryan and Sewall  
ratification meeting to be held at  
Augusta, Ga., August 12. Senators  
Gordon, of Ga., and Lindsey, of Ky.,  
who are both gold men, announce  
their intention not only to vote for  
Bryan and Sewall, but to work for  
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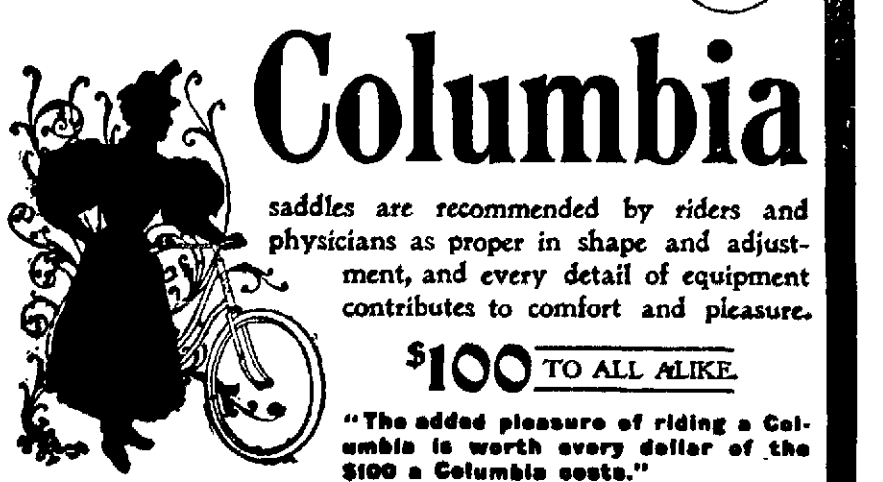
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